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## MORE MILLIONS FOR U.S. ARMY MONEY VOTED FOR NEW PLANES HUGE CONSTRUCTION PLAN ADVOCATED

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Washington, Feb. 19.  
Following a visit to the White House, Representative John J. McSwain, Democrat advocate of a powerful American Air Force, to-day recommended a five-year aircraft construction programme which would provide 4,000 new machines for the United States Army Air Corps and 2,200 for the Navy, says the *United Press*.

Meanwhile, the largest expenditure upon the United States Army for fifteen years is provided for in the estimates to-day approved by the House of Representatives Appropriations Committee, *Reuter*.

In addition to the immense expenditure on army equipment, and so on, provision is made for building 547 new military aeroplanes of the very fastest and most deadly fighting class which America can produce.

A total of \$318,000,000, or more than \$300,000,000, is allocated for the Army's fiscal year, ending June 30, 1936. The increase in proposed expenditure is \$48,000,000 as compared with the estimates for the present year, now drawing to a close.

The Appropriations Committee stated that it would be willing to provide additional funds for the Army if President Roosevelt took advantage of his prerogative and increased the Army's strength from 118,000 to 165,000 regulars.

### AIR ESTIMATES

A total of \$45,000,000 was approved for U. S. Air Force expenditure. This compares with the past year's total of \$26,000,000.

The fleet of 647 fighting planes of various classifications will cost the Government \$7,680,000, and will thus provide the nation with a fighting air force of 1,445 machines. *Reuter*.

### JAPAN AIR FORCE PLANS

Tokyo, Feb. 18.  
More than ¥250,000,000 will be spent in the next two years by the Japanese Army in building up its air force and the expansion of defence units, it was officially announced here to-day.

The expansion programme will be conducted in the two-year period of the fiscal years, 1935-1936.

Personnel of the Army, principally in the Air Corps, will be increased, it was stated. Improvements on military establishments will be principally in defensive areas like Tokyo, Nagoya, Osaka and various Kyushu areas.

It also was announced that new aviation schools will be established, affording instruction both in flying and along mechanical lines. The programme is expected to get under way early in the fiscal year of 1936. *United Press*.

## DEATH OF MR. J. E. MITCHELL

### STEWART OF HONG-KONG CLUB

Widespread regret will be felt at the death of Mr. John Edward Mitchell, Stewart of the Hongkong Club, which took place at the French Hospital in the early hours of this morning, at the age of 42 years.

The late Mr. Mitchell had been in the service of the Hongkong Club for about six months, prior to which he was on the staff of the Repulse Bay Hotel. Some years ago, he was Assistant Manager of the King Edward Hotel. He had resided in the Far East for many years. He leaves a brother and sister in England, for whom much sympathy will be felt.

The funeral takes place this evening, passing the Monument at 6 p.m.

## ITALY BARGAIN HUNTING

### SPECIAL DUTY ANNOUNCED

### RESTRICTING IMPORTS

Rome, Feb. 19.

A list of 1,500 articles requiring special licences before they will be allowed to be imported into Italy, was issued to-day.

This is the result of a new decree intended partly to restrict Italy's purchases abroad and partly to provide a bargaining lever to obtain more favourable treatment for Italy's exports.

The "black list" includes coal, machinery, woollen clothing, skins, worked steel, iron, fish, manufacturing cotton, linen, hemp, tobacco, spirits, tea, biscuits, and many other commodities. Many of these things are now imported from Great Britain.

The restrictions vary from ten to 35 per cent.

The new duties will come into force on March 31. *Reuter*.

## JAPANESE AIMS IN CHINA

### LORD LOTHIAN'S VIEWS

London, Feb. 18.

"Japan wants to tear up and step over the treaties and the present collective system in the Far East," Lord Lothian writes this morning in *The Times* in commenting on Japanese policy in China.

"I do not think there is any doubt," he goes on, "that Japan wants to put the world in the face of a fait accompli in China analogous to that accomplished in Manchuria. There is, of course, no question of war, which strengthens the Japanese position. But there is all the difference between the policy of drift and of a vigorous political action on the part of the other signatories of the Nine-Power Treaty which is now torn up without their consent."

"China does not want to be subdued by Japan," the writer continues, "she wishes to stand on her own legs without being enslaved by any foreign power. As a matter of fact the United States, Great Britain, the U.S.S.R., France, and Italy, can give her more effective financial help than Japan," concludes the article. *Havas*.

## ADMIRAL'S COURT- MARTIAL

### TOGETHER WITH TWO CAPTAINS

### SEQUEL TO COLLISION

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, Feb. 19.

A sequel to the collision between the giants of the British Navy, H.M.S. Hood, and H.M.S. Renown, was seen in Portsmouth to-day when three high officers of the Royal Navy faced a court-martial.

H.M.S. Renown had only recently arrived here for repairs.

The officers involved are Rear-Admiral S. R. Bailey, Captain F. T. B. Tower of H.M.S. Hood, and Captain H. R. Eawbridge of H.M.S. Renown.

There have only been four previous cases where an admiral of the British Navy has been court-martialled since 1866 and in every one of them the officer was acquitted. *Reuter Special*.

H.M.S. Hood and H.M.S. Renown collided during manoeuvres some time ago, and although their impact was not heavy there was considerable damage done. One of the ships suffered a broken stem. There were no casualties, and the vessels proceeded to port unassisted.

## Virtues Vs. Barbarism

### MARSHAL CHIANG'S PHILOSOPHY

### ADVICE TO PEOPLE

Nanchang, Feb. 19.

An interesting speech enunciating the true value of the Chinese traditional virtues embodied in the New Life Movement, promoted by him, was delivered by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, before a big gathering here this morning, in celebration of the first Anniversary of the Movement.

He said that the present occasion, in which we were now celebrating the first anniversary of the New Life Movement, was the result of six years of hard struggle staged by the Government troops with the support of the Kiangsi people, against the Communists. But the freedom of Kiangsi Province from Communist rule was only bought by a very heavy cost of life and property. A vast over one million people, men and women, young and old, were either killed, murdered or outraged by the Reds during the period of their six years' domination. The crime could never be forgotten by the present and coming generations of the Kiangsi people.

Marshal Chiang went on to say that since the introduction of the New Life Movement a new foundation of national life for China had been laid, on which the nation was now capable of fighting successfully against the barbarous acts of the Reds. Hence, it was evident that the Chinese traditional virtues, such as propriety, justice, and honour, which were embodied in the New Life Movement, could not only resist successfully this barbarism, vandalism and the like, but were capable of breaking down such difficult opposition.

As was shown in the struggle against Communism in China, the Sun Yat-sen principles, or the *San-Min-Chu-I*, characterised by the virtues of loyalty, filial piety, kindness, faith, justice and peacefulness, were far superior to the Communist theories of class struggle and the like, concluded Marshal Chiang. *Central News*.



Mr. Lloyd Fisher, who has been made Hauptmann's chief counsel for the purposes of the pending appeal, following differences which have arisen between the condemned man's lawyers.

## Liberty Bay Must Win Again To-day

### ABLE AMAZON LIKELY PONY

### CHETAH LOOKS WELL

### BY CAPT. FOSTER

It would seem that Liberty Bay must win the Champions Stakes to-day, and I also expect to see Able Amazon and The Chetah among the "first home" ponies in other events. My selections follow.

#### RACE 1

Sci-Fa  
Tin Ho  
Nebular Star

#### RACE 2

High Honour  
Ythan  
Pacific Hall

#### RACE 3

Mr. Frost's Mount  
Cosenck's Beauty  
Mr. Marshall's Mount

#### RACE 4

Able Amazon  
Racing Heart  
Saucy Face

### RACING EXTRA

The *Hongkong Telegraph* will publish two further editions to-day reporting results of races, with cash sweep winners' numbers.

#### RACE 5

Mr. Taylor's Mount  
Bay View  
Prima Donna

#### RACE 6

Shooting Star  
Mount Pilatus  
Snow River

#### RACE 7

View's Selected  
Mistake Bay  
Gold Coin

#### RACE 8

Liberty Bay  
Mr. Marshall's Mount  
Sadko

#### RACE 9

The Chetah  
Wadebridge  
The Deemster

#### RACE 10

Popular Star  
Soldier of Peace  
Trowbridge

#### RACE 11

Seventeenth September  
Lucky Strike  
Belmont Star

#### RACE 12

Marshall's Mount  
Hetman  
Oak Bay

## DEFENCE COUNSEL CHANGED

### EDWARD REILLY DISPLACED

### HAUPTMANN REBELS

Trenton, Feb. 19.

Bruno Hauptmann, condemned to die for the murder of the Lindbergh baby, has rebelled against the chief of his counsel, Mr. Edward Reilly, one of the foremost criminal lawyers in the United States.

Hauptmann has revolted to the extent of making his second counsel, Mr. Lloyd Fisher, leader of his defence campaign.

Mr. Reilly had earlier announced that all moves in respect to an appeal had been indefinitely postponed, and at a consultation with junior counsel would give no reason for this action.

Mr. Fisher was so enraged at the attitude of Mr. Reilly that he approached Hauptmann at once and urged that he be given full charge of the case.

"I cannot conceive why anyone would wish to adjourn the appeal when the man is scheduled to die in four weeks' time," said Mr. Fisher.

Mr. Fisher has charge of the defence fund, including the subscriptions which are coming in from those who believe in Hauptmann's innocence. *Reuter*.

## India Bill Debate

### LONG AND ARDUOUS TASK BEGUN

### CHOOSING VICEROY

London, Feb. 19.

The House of Commons to-day began the long and important task of dealing with the Government of India Bill in its Committee stage.

The measure contains four hundred and fifty-one clauses and fifteen schedules, and in view of its magnitude all sections and parties in the House have agreed to the allocation of thirty days to be devoted to it.

Twenty-six days will be devoted to various parts of the Bill in the order of their importance and the remaining four days will be held in reserve to provide more time for discussion of provisions which prove especially intricate, or produce constructive criticisms. In the first six days Part One of the measure, and in which the position of the Governor General is defined, will be under debate.

Sir Robert Horne this afternoon moved an amendment, the effect of which was that the Viceroy should be appointed only after there had been consultation with the living ex-Viceroy who were also members of the Privy Council. He emphasized the vital importance of the post and of having the right man to fill it. The Viceroy, he said, would be the keystone of all this mighty fabric and there was no office in the world to which the choice of the right man was more important.

Sir Samuel Hoare, who agreed that the post was one of vital importance, said while he was anxious to keep the appointment as far as possible out of the ordinary rut of party politics there were grave objections to introducing quite new procedure into the Constitution and taking the appointment altogether out of the control of Parliament. The Government would not accept the amendment in that form but he would welcome the opportunity of considering the views of members from all parts of the House on the subject. After further discussion Sir Robert Horne withdrew his amendment. *British Wireless*.

## U.S. BOND CASE NOT CLOSED

### FOREIGN HOLDERS MAY YET SUE

### GLOOMY PREDICTION OF ECONOMIST

New York, Feb. 19.

The possibility that the last has not been heard of the Gold Clause problem was suggested by Professor Cyril James, economist of Pennsylvania University to-day, who is quoted as saying:

"The decisions of the United States Supreme Court do not preclude foreign Governments holding United States bonds from suing to recover \$169 for every \$100 American bond containing the gold clause."

He contends that private holders might take advantage of this opportunity and consign their holdings to foreign Governments.

In Washington, however, it is held that any action by foreign holders of United States bonds, through their Governments, would fall to the ground as the bonds are purely domestic obligations, not falling within the rules of international law.

It is announced that the Government's conversion operation for \$1,870,000,000 of Fourth Liberty Loan bonds will be included in the mid-March financing programme. The Treasury some time ago signified its intention of proceeding with this scheme following the gold clause decision.

The bonds will be called for redemption on April 15. *Reuter*.

### MAY GET DAMAGES

Washington, Feb. 19.

It was learned here to-day that some lawyers foresee the possibility of the small group of Americans residing in foreign countries and who bought United States Government Bonds before devaluation of the dollar, or who bought the Bonds in the United States and then moved abroad, being able to collect damages under the Liberty Bond decision.

This possibility is presented because the purchasing power of the dollar has been drastically reduced abroad, compared with only a slight domestic change.

However, the amount of their holdings is apparently so small that members of the Treasury are showing little concern over such an eventuality.

Foreigners, however, will have no chance to recover damages, due to the fact that United States Government Securities are offered for domestic purchase, and therefore foreigners are subject to the same risks as Americans. *United Press*.

### PREVENTING ACTION

Washington, Feb. 19.

After a conference at the White House to-day, Mr. Homer Cummings, the U.S. Attorney General, intimated that the Government may seek legislation to clinch the gold case victory.

Such legislation is reported as being still in the stages of discussion, but it is believed here that it would be designed to prevent any further suits against the Government. *United Press*.

## CHINESE GIVE RECEPTION

### INSTITUTE MARKS ANNIVERSARY

London, Feb. 19.

The Chinese Institute is celebrating its second anniversary with a reception at which Mr. Quo Tai-chi and Rev. J. Scott-Lidgett, chairman of the Universities Chinese Committee, will be the speakers.

Membership of the Institute is now about 280 and the organisation requires larger premises urgently. *Reuter*.

### INDUSTRIES FAIR

London, Feb. 19.

The number of buyers at the British Industries Fair to-day was 10,849, an increase of 1,000 over the figures on the corresponding day last year. *British Wireless*.

## EXPLORER HIGHLY HONOURED

### DECORATED BY NANKING

### SVEN HEDIN'S BIRTHDAY

Nanking, Feb. 20.

On the occasion of the birthday of Dr. Sven Hedin, the noted Swedish explorer, who has been surveying and mapping the route of a proposed highway system in China's interior, the Nanking Government has decided to confer upon him the Order of Brilliant Jade.

It was for his services in Sinkiang, where he has been for the past several months, that the award is being made. *Reuter*.

### HOME CELEBRATION

Stockholm, Feb. 19.

The home of the explorer, Dr. Sven Hedin, was inundated with delegations and deluged with flowers, letters and telegrams to-day, the seventieth birthday of the man who has explored more in the little known parts of Asia than any other living person.

Dr. Hedin is at present in Nanking. *Reuter*.

## BIG SILVER PURCHASE

### CHINA BUYING IN LONDON

Shanghai, Feb. 19.

It was learned here to-day that the Exchange Stabilisation Committee has purchased three million Chinese silver dollars in London.

The shipment is expected to arrive in Shanghai on March 15. It is also reported that the Committee is at present negotiating for the purchase of an additional ten million. *United Press*.

### DR. SCHUSCHNIGG

### VISITING LONDON NEXT WEEK

London, Feb. 19.

Dr. Schuschnigg, Austrian Chancellor, and Herr Waldenegg, Austrian Foreign Minister, who are paying an unofficial visit to London next week, will arrive on Sunday afternoon.

They will be entertained at luncheon by the Prime Minister, at 10, Downing Street on Monday, and a dinner will be given at the Austrian Legation in the evening. Sir John Simon will entertain the visitors at luncheon on Tuesday. *British Wireless*.



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## Philippines' Democracy

EVOLVED OUT OF MAGNA CARTA

AMERICAN INFLUENCE

BY REUEL S. MOORE  
UNITED PRESS STAFF  
CORRESPONDENT

Manila, Feb. 10.  
The new Philippine constitution, written by a popular convention after six months of deliberation, indicated that three and one-half decades of American influence had served to implant thoroughly in the Filipino people the ideals of democracy and individual freedom evolved in the United States as an inheritance from old Magna Carta. Significant also of the long contact of the Philippines with the Occident world was the fact that the convention invoked the "aid of Divine providence" in the preamble of constitution of the only Christian nation in the Far East. Christianity was brought here by the Spaniards four centuries ago.

Although different in composition, and considerably more detailed in its assignment of various powers and functions, the Philippine constitution nevertheless is strikingly similar to that of the United States. It establishes a republican form of government and recites a bill of rights approximating the declaration of civil liberties set forth in the United States constitution.

It sets up three branches of government: the legislative, executive, and judicial, with functions similar to those of the corresponding branches in the United States, although there is one notable departure from the American form in the legislative branch in that a unicameral legislature is provided for. The executive branch is represented in the persons of a president and vice-president.

**SUFFRAGE**  
Universal male suffrage, except for illiterates, is provided for, and in addition, it is set forth that if 300,000 women vote in favour of woman suffrage at a special plebiscite called for that purpose, women will be extended the right of suffrage.

The right of acquiring public lands, natural resources and franchises is limited to Philippine citizens and corporations, as well as the right to acquire private agricultural lands, except by inheritance.

The constitution limits the amount of public land which may be acquired or leased by individuals or corporations, and assigns to the legislature the right to limit the amount of private agricultural land which individuals, corporations or associations may acquire and hold. This provision was the outgrowth of Spanish days, when large agricultural land holdings and the casique system approximated almost feudal conditions.

**LANGUAGE**  
The constitution provides for the establishment of a national language with the use of English and Spanish in the interim, as follows: "The national assembly shall take steps toward the development and adoption of a common national language based on one of the existing native languages."

The constitution embodies verbatim the mandatory provisions of the Tydings-McDuffie act. It will be submitted to the President of the United States, who, if it conforms with the Tydings-McDuffie act, shall proclaim its acceptance, whereafter it will be submitted to the people of the islands for approval at a popular plebiscite.

After approval of the constitution election of the officers will be held, whereafter the President of the United States will proclaim the 10-year commonwealth period in effect.

The commonwealth period many observers believe, will not begin until some time in 1936, owing to various formalities in the steps involved.

## RIBBED CREPES

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Ribbed crepes are as popular as ever for the two-piece, and this model shows how attractively the ribs may be used to get different effects. The bodice is smart with two bands stretching from waistline to neck, looped into a bow effect, and thrown over the neck band of the coat.

## LADDERS IN HOSE

FEW things are more annoying than to find that a ladder is starting in one's stocking just as one is going out.

There is no time to change, and a remedy must be found at once or disaster follows. The simplest method of arresting the progress of the ladder is to dab the silk at the end of the ladder with the brush from a bottle of nail varnish, preferably colourless, a cosmetic which most women nowadays have on their dressing tables.

It dries immediately, and, what is most important, it is dependable even after being washed.

## BOYS BEST LIARS

START BEHIND SCRATCH

BUT OVERTAKE RIVALS

Pittsburgh, Feb. 14.  
Boys are more prone to tell lies than girls, Dr. Byrnie J. Horton, professor of education at DePaul University, has concluded.

Prof. Horton told the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in convention here, of a study he made of the truthfulness of 6,000 school students, ranging from pupils in the third grade of grammar school to the senior year at college.

Strangely enough, he reported, the boys start out at being more truthful than the girls. In the elementary schools, he reported, the girls are more given to telling lies than are the boys. But before long the boys catch up and sail ahead of the girls.

The boys reach their full power to evade the truth at high school age. "The greatest deceivers are the boys in the high school," Prof. Horton reported. In college, apparently, they have more regard for the truth.

Dr. Horton found that both boys and girls are more truthful in the elementary school than they are in high school.

Three things dominate the urge for deceiving, he said. The first

## France's Air Mail Service

FIVE NEW SHIPS ON ATLANTIC

CONTACT WITH S. AMERICA

By HAROLD ETTLINGER

Paris, Feb. 13.  
Within a few months Air France will put a fleet of five planes on the South Atlantic mail service and establish the link between France and South America on a solid commercial basis, with planes flying a regular schedule.

According to Director General Allegre, the scheduled service should begin late in Spring, when two new machines already ordered will be in service and the present fleet of three overhauled and ready to increase the record of Atlantic crossings already to their credit.

At present the Santos Dumont is the only plant making regular transatlantic flights. The Coudinet Arc-en-Ciel, in which Mr. Meroz made his remarkable series of flights, is undergoing repairs and will be ready in March, while the latecomer Croix-du-Sud will probably be put back in service in May.

Early in February the new Farman four-motored plane ordered for the South American service will make its first flight, and a few weeks later the company's new Liora-Olivier will undergo its first tests.

In his announcement, M. Allegre reiterated the statement that the recent negotiations with the German Luftwaffe were intended to reach a commercial working agreement, but there was never any question of a merger.

In addition to improvement equipment on the south Atlantic service the French company has announced a big programme of building for the European routes, most French plane construction factories sharing in the orders.—United Press.

## DIVORCE "BOOM"

RENO ANTICIPATES "RECOVERY"

Reno, Nev., Feb. 13.  
Business recovery is well under way, and as a result Reno divorce trade will boom in 1935, leaders in the Nation's "divorce capital" predict.

During hard times family troubles only bind husbands and wives more closely together, but in prosperous years couples have freer rein to follow individual desires, and the result is more business for the divorce courts, long experience has taught local attorneys.

Apartments and hotels in Reno, and nearby dude ranches, reported a large number of advance reservations for early 1935—an unusual trend in that divorce seekers in past years have avoided the winter months in Reno, preferring the warmer months to obtain their "divorce diplomas."

Courty clerk E. Deemer, reported that 2,941 suits were filed, and 2,789 divorces granted in Reno during 1934, compared to 2,438 suits filed in 1933. Predictions are made that the 1934 increase would be greatly boosted in 1935.—United Press.

seems to be the altruistic motive, a regard for the other person and a desire not to hurt his feelings. The second seems to be the reaction to the prevalent codes of manners. Manners do not permit one to be too outspoken. The third is the egoistic motive, the desire to keep one's self in the best light.

Dr. Horton summarises his study by saying that as school children grow older, they become "more tactful in social relations and less regardful of the truth."—United Press.

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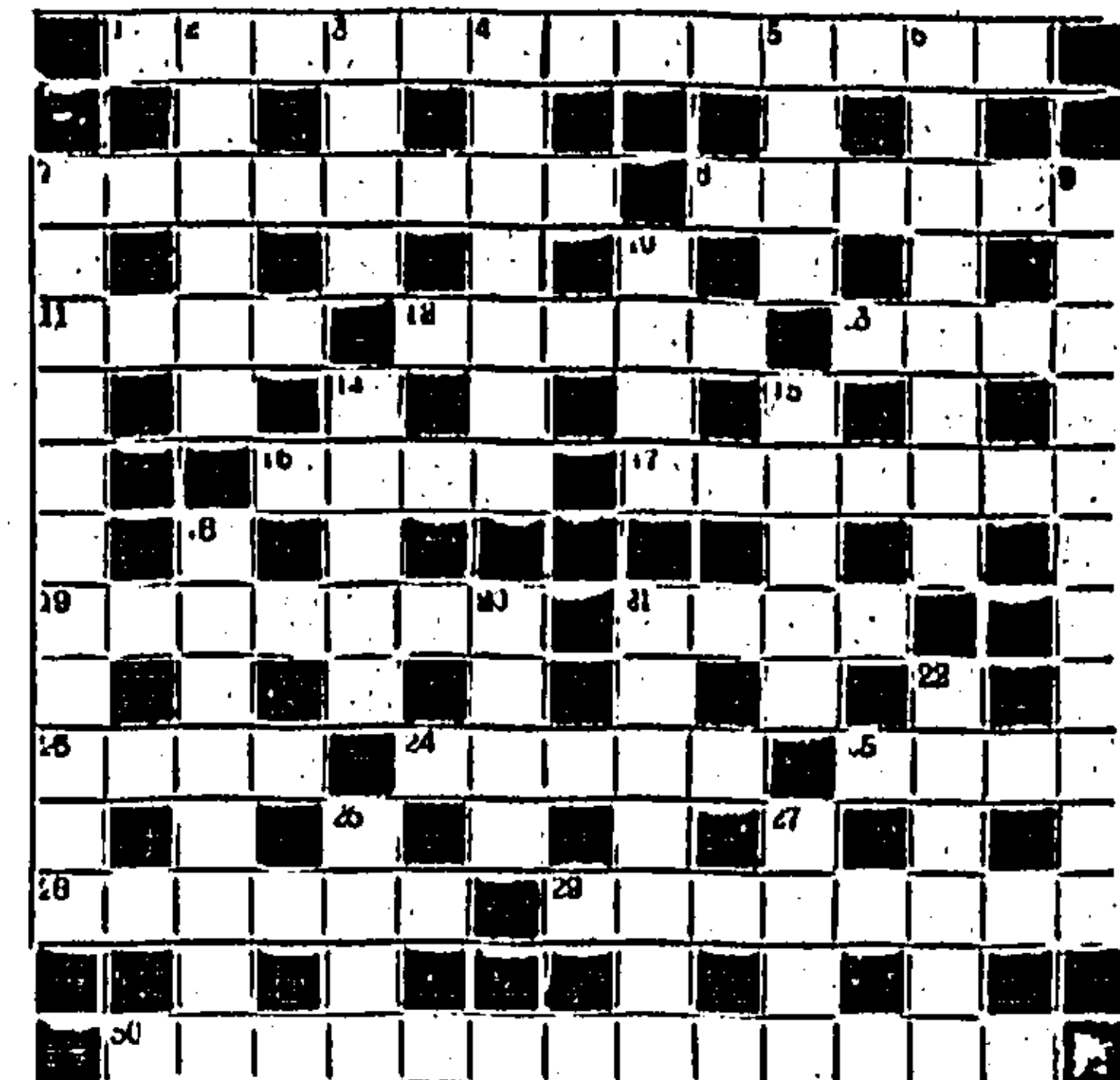
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### Across

- 1 "Ahl lunatic lion," but perhaps, it is merely a fragment of the imagination (anag.).
- 7 River: this is simply rich.
- 8 Showing how frugality provides an opening.
- 11 Choose this for road-work.
- 12 There's something radically wrong about this gum.
- 13 Roman author, a little over fifty-four.
- 16 The log of double existence.
- 17 In the Fourteenth Century this French city had a population of nearly 100,000.
- 19 Fair ladies often are, and so Welshmen like cheese.
- 21 An animal in trousers.
- 22 Esau's other name.
- 24 A brief change.
- 25 Whatever the historians may say, this was merely a cloak for Roman occupation.
- 28 Go away, as the varlet did for a change.
- 29 Expel the sun, even when not out early.
- 30 Some show.

### Down

- 2 Act upon this.
- 3 Praise for an Archbishop.
- 4 How to study form without going against the rules of the Church.
- 5 Thus disarranged and so shut up.
- 6 These are often divided, but only produce vegetables when divided by 3,14159.
- 7 If you wish to secure this post you must enclose a Postal Order.

9 No, I don't think the carpenter finds this such a vexatious tool to use as one might imagine (hyphen).

10 I go in with a girl to see the opera.

14 Of little account, though the favourite certainly comes in first.

15 Birds have them naturally—and they eat us a lot.

18 A Continental seaport occupies the centre of the stage, and wilful destruction follows.

20 Said to be a raised floor.

21 He sits with nothing in a corner.

22 Coo, man (anag.).

23 Where wives and husbands go to part.

27 You require a twelve-inch base for this.

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Pillars of smoke shot through with sheets of flame spouted from this oil well three days after it "blew in" as a big producer near Trinity, Houston County, Tex. Fire crews fought vainly for more than a week to control the roaring blaze, which took a heavy toll of property.

## LONDON GAYEST

### LUXURY TRADE CENTRE

### SPENDING ORGY

London, Feb. 12.

Londoners are to-day prouder than ever of their city, which, they claim, has become the gayest European capital and the centre of the world's luxury trade.

Night-clubs, theatres, cinemas, restaurants, shops and other trade and amusement enterprises report business increase.

This spending orgy has been accelerated and intensified by the recent wedding of Princess Marina of Greece and the Duke of Kent. London has been having by far a gayer night life than Paris or any other European capital for several months, Britons say.

Shows, even when mediocre, are sell-outs. Lines of people are to be seen every night at the gallery entrances of West End theatres, waiting patiently the opening of the box-office to buy seats.

Cabarets, although with less attractive floor shows and smaller bands than in large American cities, announce a considerable increase in patronage. Cinemas report capacity houses throughout the series of daily performances, and between 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. it's hardly possible to find room in the cheaper seats.

However, there has been no noteworthy increase in prices. England not being a gold-standard country, Frenchmen, Swiss, Hollanders, Italians, etc., have found that their currencies can buy much more in London than in any other European capital. Therefore, there has been a considerable influx of temporary visitors from abroad, who have taken advantage of the monetary situation, business men say.

#### ECONOMICAL FUN

They claim that London has replaced Paris chiefly because amusements here cost less, and the expense of the trip is covered by savings effected in purchasing here articles that, if bought at home, would be more expensive.

This reported steady increase of business volume, mostly centred in London, has given this city an undeniable air of prosperity. Every trade and commercial enterprise is benefiting from the augmented tourist traffic, it is said. On the other hand Britons now prefer

to stay at home, because they know that sterling has lost its former high purchasing power.

Jewellers claim 90 per cent. of the world's deals in diamonds are done here, and that more than \$75,000,000 worth of rough stones have recently changed hands in the neighbourhood of Hatton-Garden, London's market for precious stones.

Furriers claim that London has now taken the place of both Leipzig, Germany, and St. Louis, Mo., as the world's fur trading centre.

They say Canada alone sent \$1,600,000 worth of raw furs here this year, which are being finished and sold all over the world for more than \$4,000,000, and that the 1934 fur trade has already doubled the \$10,000,000 of 1931.

In the art trade, auctioneering firms in the West End say that it is much easier now to sell artistic and literary treasures than before the gold-standard days.—United Press.

## FARMERS WASTING TIME

### USELESS LAND CULTIVATED

### ABANDONMENT URGED

Washington, Feb. 9.

Federal retirement of 75,000,000 acres of submarginal land is necessary to America's economic and industrial well-being, according to the National Resources Board.

The committee, in its report to President Roosevelt, suggested the Government pay \$375,000,000 during the next 15 years to take this land out of cultivation, transfer the inhabitants to more fertile areas and withdraw homestead privileges from unsuitable acreage.

Retirement of valueless land was the keystone of the board's programme of improving agriculture and industry. Other factors were flood and soil erosion protection, irrigation, extension of federal control to cover public domain used primarily for grazing and development of national and state parks and forest reserves.

The Board recommended partial government control of the mining industry to assist economic stability, minimize waste, maintain wage standards and protect investments.

Necessity for a subsistence homestead programme to care for families now on submarginal land was stressed. The government, it said, should foster decentralization of industry to supply farmers with part-time employment.

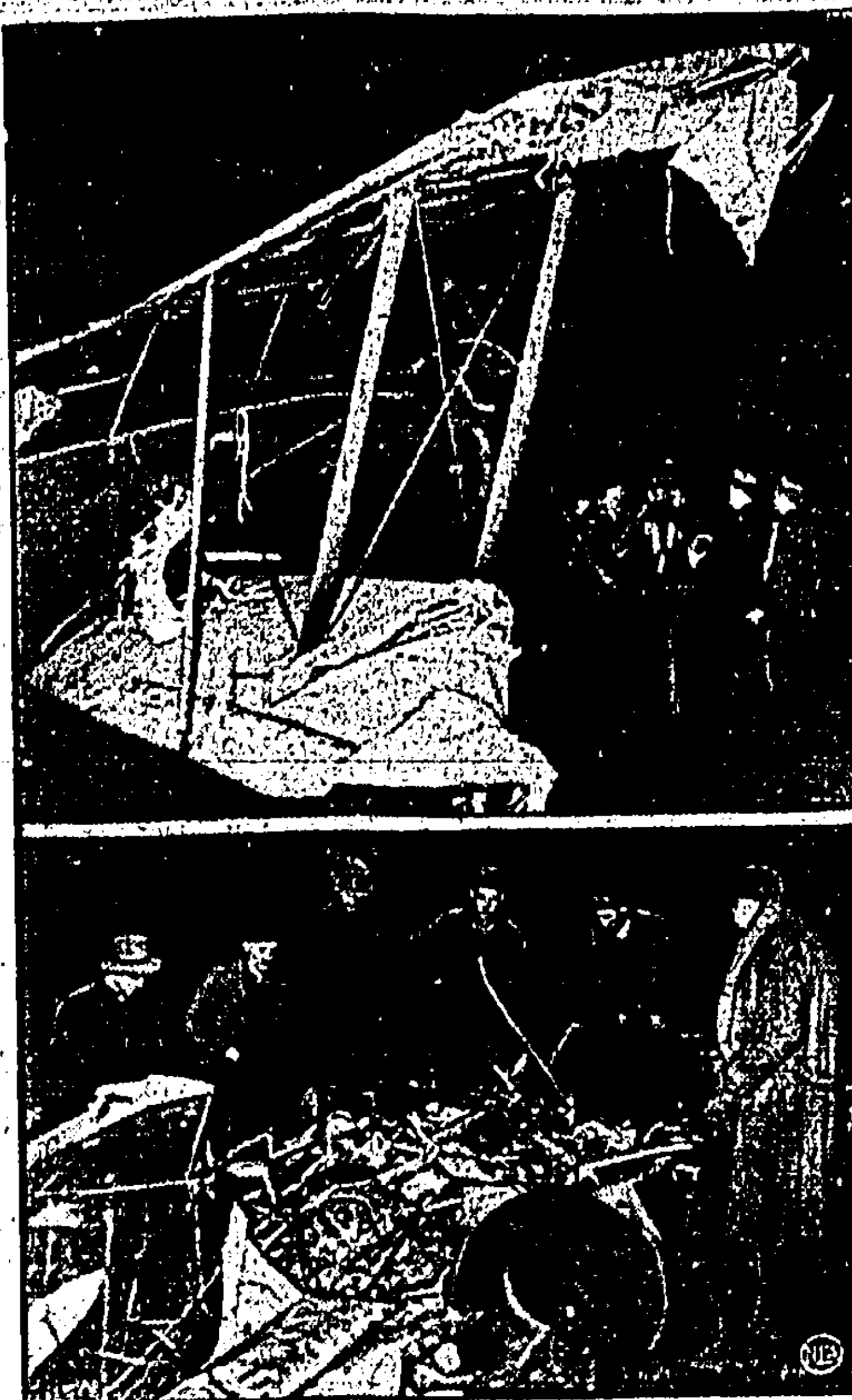
"Experience during the current year," the report said, "has shown that the families in these areas respond readily to the programme and that it is supported by local public opinion."

"These areas," it added, "have been characterised by incredibly low standards of living. Last spring a programme for the purchase of these poor farms and for aiding the transfer of families to other locations was begun, and the government now is engaged in plans for acquisition of approximately 105 subsistence homestead areas contained a total of over 6,000,000 acres."

To aid farm tenants, the board suggested the "possibility of adapting to American conditions the policy of compensation for improvements made, and certain measures protecting competent tenants against the risk of unwarranted displacements."

The board suggested municipalities increase parks to the proportion of one acre for every 100 citizens.

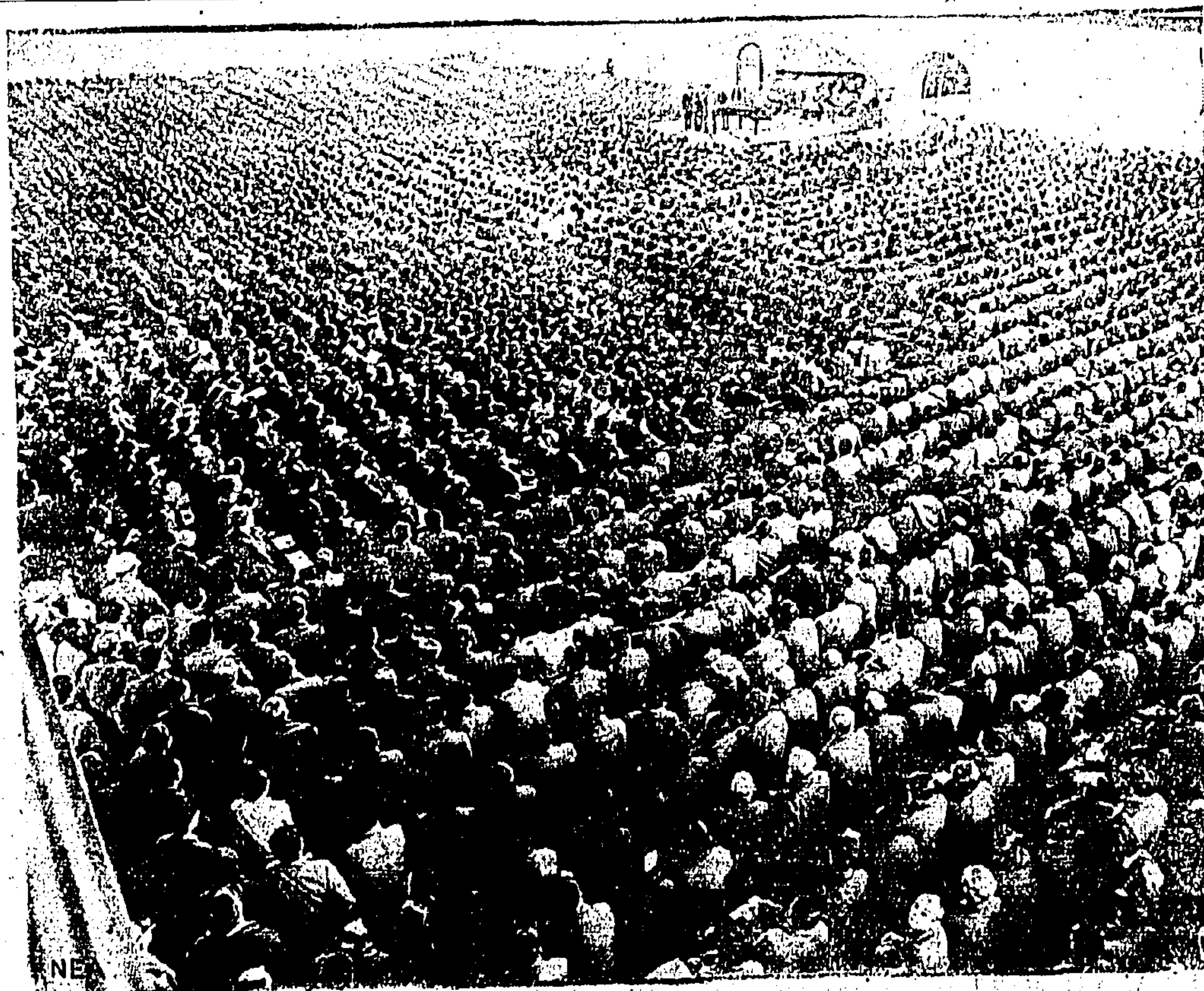
To insure a long-time land development programme, the board recommended establishment of a permanent land planning board.—United Press.



These two planes crashed high in the air and plunged to earth, one wrecked and the other crippled, two flyers dying in the collision near Murfreesboro, Tenn. The craft were Indiana National Guard planes, returning from the Miami air races. Lieut. W. B. Morgan of Indianapolis and his observer landed safely in their crippled ship, shown above, coming down in a cornfield six miles away. The dead airmen were Lieuts. Henderson Wheeler and Richard Miller, also of Indianapolis, killed instantly in the wrecked plane shown below.



His Imperial Highness Crown Prince Akihito Tsugunomiya did not say much on his recent first anniversary, but all Japan celebrated the birthday of the future ruler of Nippon. Here is his official photograph, released through the Imperial Household Department for the birthday fete.



Work and prison politics were forgotten when the 5,500 convicts at San Quentin Prison were assembled in the penitentiary mess hall for this remarkable photograph, for the occasion was the annual vaudeville show given by theatrical interests and people of the San Francisco Bay Region—a show staged with "big time" settings. And you'll note that 5,499 did not face the camera lens, as is usual "outside" prison walls.



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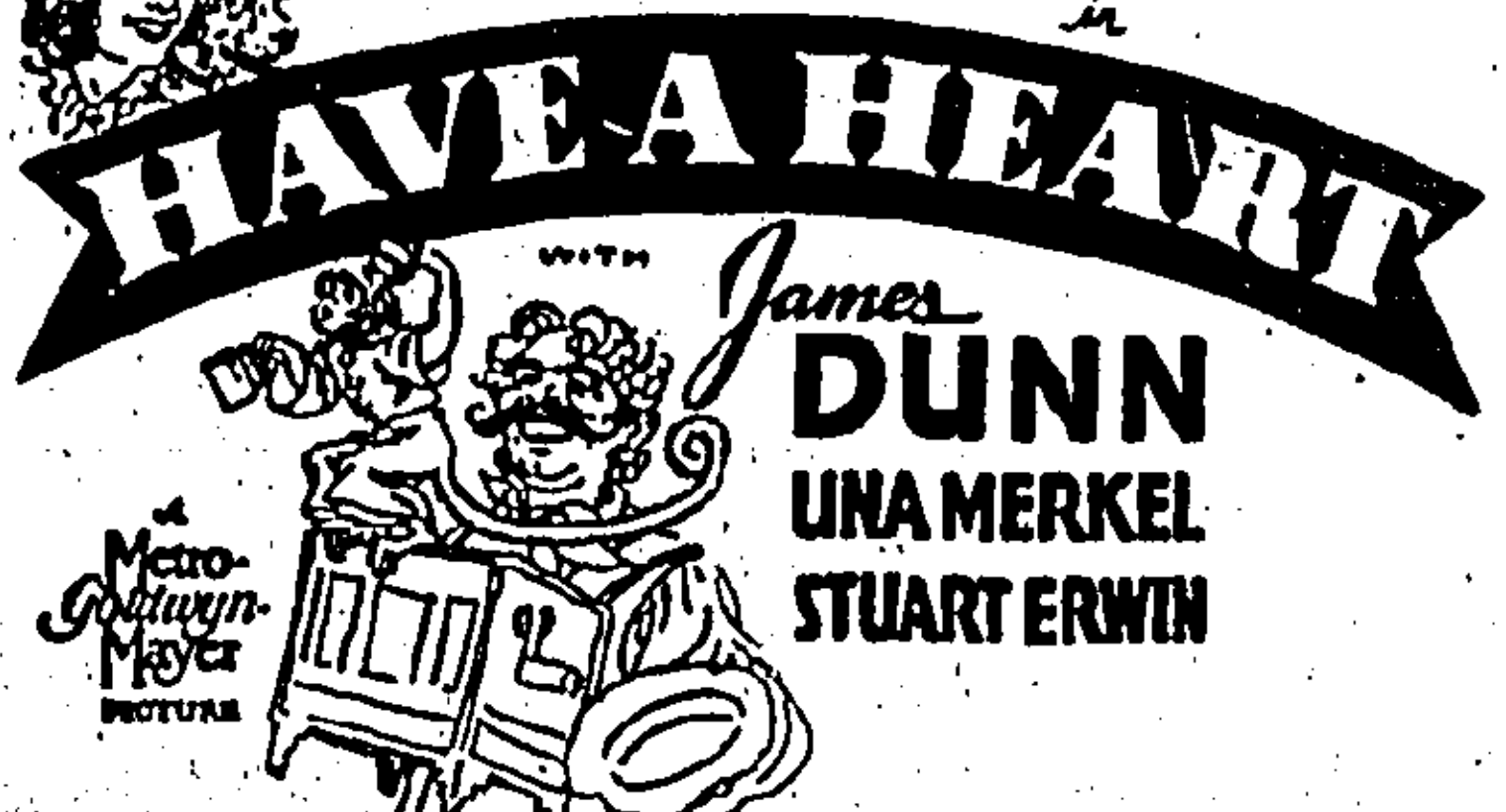
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## Notice to Shareholders.

THE FORTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on Thursday, the 7th March, 1935, AT NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1934.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from Friday, the 22nd February, 1935 to Thursday, the 7th March, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the  
Board of Directors,  
F. H. CRAPNELL,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 14th February, 1935.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that the ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., 18, Pedder Street, Hongkong, on Saturday, the 23rd February 1935, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1934.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 11th February to Saturday the 23rd February 1935 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the  
Board of Directors,  
V. M. GRAYBURN,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, 1st February, 1935.

HONG KONG HORTICULTURAL  
SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL SHOW OF FLOWERS AND VEGETABLES will be held at the VOLUNTEER HEADQUARTERS on THURSDAY, the 28th FEBRUARY, 1935, from 3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.

ENTRIES WILL DEFINITELY CLOSE at the Hon. Secretary's Office, Stock Exchange Building, Ice House Street, at NOON on Thursday, the 21st FEBRUARY, 1935, but intending exhibitors are requested to SEND IN THEIR ENTRIES AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.

MEMBERS who have not yet paid their subscriptions and ALL THOSE who wish to join the Society are requested to send \$5.00 to the Undersigned.

J. T. BAGRAM,

Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, 26th January, 1935.

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## VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superadded.

## INWARD MAILS.

Shanghai and Swatow	Shantung	February 20.
Calcutta and Straits	Tilawa	February 20.
Japan via Suez (Letters and Papers)	Buenos Aires Maru	February 21.
London, 24th January and London Parcels—London, 17th January—and Air Mail ex Amsterdam—Bandoeng Service (Amsterdam, 6th February)	Carthage	February 21.
Shanghai and Amoy	Lachow	February 21.
Straits	Tokushima Maru	February 21.
Japan and Shanghai	Bhutan	February 22.
Japan	General Pershing	February 22.
Japan	K'innu Maru	February 22.
Japan	Phebus	February 22.
Manila	Praes Coolidge	February 22.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan, Shanghai (Seattle, 2nd February)	Praes Jackson	February 22.
Japan and Shanghai	Rajputana	February 22.
Straits	Toha Maru	February 22.
Saloon	Athos II.	February 23.
Shanghai	Diomed	February 25.
Shanghai	D'Aragman	February 25.
Shanghai	Menestheus	February 26.

## OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Wednesday.		
Swatow	Selatan	Wed., Feb. 20, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., Feb. 20, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco, and *Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 13th March)	Tatsuta Maru	Wed., Feb. 20.
Straits	Calchos	Letters, Feb. 20, 8.30 a.m. Feb. 20, 10.30 a.m.
Thursday		
Formosa via Swatow & Amoy	Dell Maru	Thurs., Feb. 21, 8.30 a.m.
*Straits and Calcutta	Sulsang	Thurs., Feb. 21, 10 a.m.
Parcels	Letters	Feb. 21, 10 a.m.
Straits	Van Houten	Thurs., Feb. 21, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy	Tjinegara	Thurs., Feb. 21, 10.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Mausang	Thurs., Feb. 21, 1.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. Buenos Aires Maru and S. Africa	Thurs., Feb. 21, 2.30 p.m.	
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Feb. 21, 3 p.m.
Swatow	Tilawa	Thurs., Feb. 21, 6 p.m.
Friday		
Straits	Hai Lee	Fri., Feb. 22, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Carthage	Fri., Feb. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Hohow, Pakhoi and *Haliphong	Kwangtung	Fri., Feb. 22, 1 p.m.
Haliphong	Canton	Fri., Feb. 22, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haliphong	Fri., Feb. 22, 2 p.m.
Saturday		
Manila, Australia and New Zealand Kitanu Maru	Reg., Feb. 22, 8.45 a.m.	
via Thursday Island.	Letters	Feb. 22, 9.30 a.m.
(Due Thursday Island, 7th March).	President Coolidge	Sat., Feb. 23.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco, and *Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 13th March)	Parcels	Feb. 22, 5 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. Rajputana and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles.	Reg., Feb. 22, 5 p.m.	
(Due Marseilles, 22nd March).	Letters	Feb. 22, 5 p.m.
K. P. O.		
Parcels	Reg., Feb. 22, 4.30 p.m.	
Reg., Feb. 22, 9 a.m.	Letters	Feb. 22, 10 a.m.
Manila	Praes Jackson	Sat., Feb. 23, 6.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Athos II.	Sat., Feb. 23, 10 a.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service."	Rajputana	Sat., Feb. 23.
K. P. O.		
Reg., Feb. 22, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., Feb. 23, 8 a.m.	
Letters, Feb. 22, 5 p.m.	Letters, Feb. 23, 9.30 a.m.	
Sunday		
Foochow	Luchow	Sun., Feb. 24, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kweiyang	Sun., Feb. 24, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Feb. 24, 9 a.m.
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London, Feb. 19.  
Russia's first official pronouncement on the Franco-British scheme for the peace of Europe, was made by the Soviet Ambassador Mr. Malinski, when addressing the League of Nations Union.

He warned his listeners that frustration of the Eastern Europe Pact "may pave the road to a new world war".

He asserted that the German reply aroused the most serious apprehensions, and insisted that the conclusion of a Western European Aerial Alliance with no pact in the east would fail to assure peace.

He hinted at a Franco-Russian Alliance if Germany and Poland continued to reject the Eastern Pact.—*United Press.*

Two excellent magazines have been received setting out the many attractions which Germany holds for tourists. One is entitled "Germany" and the other "Germany and You." Several contribution notices show how enjoyable a visit to the country can be, whether in summer, a winter, for sports or merely to relax; and the many fine illustrations are themselves persuasive.

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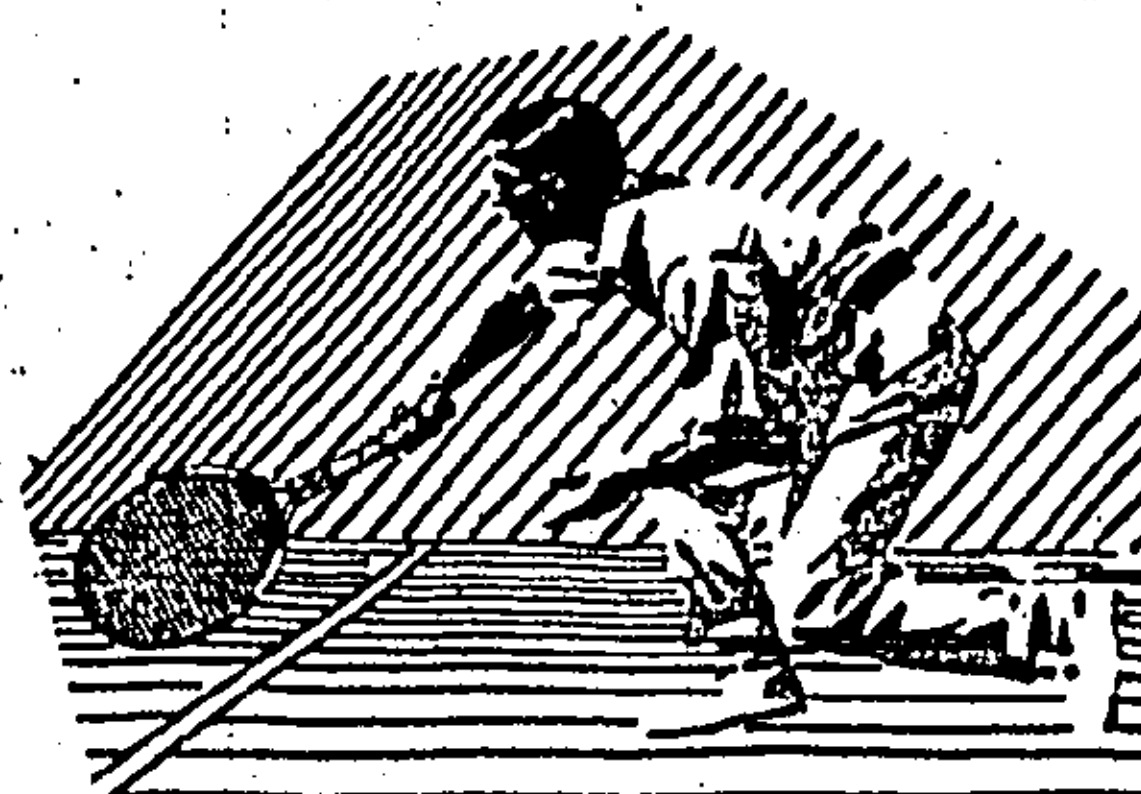
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Phones 27778-9. Stubbs Road.**DEATH.****MITCHELL.**—At the French Hospital, Hongkong, on February 20, 1935, John Edward Mitchell, Steward of the Hongkong Club, aged 42 years. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5 p.m. to-day (Wednesday).**The Hongkong Telegraph.**

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20, 1935.

**BRITISH ARMS INQUIRY**

Following the American investigation into the manufacture of and trade in arms and munitions of war, Britain has appointed a Royal Commission to carry out a similar inquiry. Whilst the Government is accepting the American proposals as a basis for discussion, the scope of the British investigation is somewhat limited in character. It is to cover three points:—(1) possible prohibition of the private manufacture of munitions; (2) the question of steps being taken to remove objections to private manufacture; and (3) examination of the British system of control of exports, with a view to discovering whether revision is needed. It is something to the good that the general question is to be looked into; but a query arises whether, under the terms of reference, there is likely to be any investigation of the charges made during the Washington inquiry that British and American munition-makers were in partnership. Another point is whether there will be any follow-up of the allegation that the international armaments ring brought pressure to bear to defeat the Disarmament Conference, or of the charge that American, British and other armament concerns played one nation against another in order to find a market for their products. When the inquiry was first mooted, there was a suggestion made in the United States that the British Commission would not have power to examine books or other documents, but it is now definitely made clear that the investigators will have the right of calling witnesses to give evidence, to call for information in writing, and also to call for and examine documents. It has been hinted that, following the American disclosures, munition-makers in Britain have had time to remove or destroy any damaging documents which may have existed in their files, but it is hard to believe that they would be able to remove all traces of possibly incriminating transac-

**NOTES OF THE DAY****SOLID GROUND.**

The financial world must feel itself upon more solid ground to-day, following the announcement of the United States Supreme Court that the Administration's abrogation of the gold clause in bond contracts is in effect. The decision is remarkable in that the Supreme Court recognised that the act of abrogation was unconstitutional. Apparently the end is justified, the means, even in the eyes of the law, or, at least, in the eyes of the majority of the Justices upon the bench of the Supreme Court. But if the Constitution is to be ignored by the Administration in matters of this sort, what guarantee have the people, the investing public, in America and abroad, that they will not suffer from some other form of devaluation? Why should not the bond-buyer, prospect say: "America's word is as good as her bond; and I shall buy none of her bonds?"

**DANGEROUS ALTERNATIVE**

One of the dissenting justices declared, when he commented upon the obvious paradox in his brother's ruling: "But for the moment at least, there is no fear of financial embarrassment for the Government of the United States, or the bond-issuing corporations which might have been asked to pay 1.63 in depreciated currency for every 'gold dollar' called for in their bond contracts. And that is the main thing. That would have been a blow to America and to the world, for it would have meant that America's bonded indebtedness, public and private, would have been increased from approximately \$90,000,000,000 to \$150,000,000,000 overnight. The financial structure of the country would have been badly wrecked, and there would not have been a market in the world which would have felt the strain."

**POSSIBILITIES**

It is probably well for most, under the circumstances, that the Supreme Court tempered its judgment with discretion. It is rather dreadful to think of what might have happened had one of those judges of the majority changed his mind at the last moment, and cast a vote against the Government, valuing his Government's honour more than solvency. In that event the reasoning of one man might have upset the markets of the world in most effective fashion. We cannot know how the Roosevelt Administration would have acted in the event of a decision against its policy, of course; what its defence would have been. But the immediate effect of the Supreme Court's decision was to settle a somewhat disturbed market. The moment the decision was made known there was a general relaxing of the tension, revival of confidence, rapid rise in prices, which late profit-taking stopped. If the decision had been the other way, the reaction would undoubtedly have been as quick in the opposite direction to what it is at present. We may have much to be thankful for; and so may the gold bondholders, in spite of their losses.

**WISH TO BELIEVE**

The power of rumour is a queer thing. Someone tells someone else a tall tale, that someone else carries still farther—and the first thing you know, half the country believes it; believes it with an intensity that no amount of public denial can ever entirely shake. A sample is the trouble which curators of the National Library in Paris have been having with credulous folk who insist on having a look at the mummy of Cleopatra. The library has never had such a mummy. As far as anyone knows, no mummy of the famous Egyptian queen is in existence. For 50 years the library curators have been issuing public denials that there was such a mummy. But it makes no difference. There is a rumour abroad in France that the library has the mummy, and people keep coming to see it—and getting indignant when they can't. A rumour of that kind can be one of the hardest growths known to human society.

tions. Without doubt, the main point to be dealt with by the Commission will be whether the Government shall have a monopoly in the manufacture of arms, or whether matters shall continue as they now are, with the Government making some at its own arsenals and big private firms making some at their own plants. The Government itself, as revealed by its spokesmen recently, favours retention of the present system. It is noteworthy, however, that in the League of Nations Peace Ballot there has so far been a vote of nearly ninety-five per cent. against the private manufacture of arms. This would certainly seem to indicate that popular opinion is decidedly in favour of a State monopoly, coupled with an international agreement embracing the major Powers.

**MARRIAGE MENDER WANTED**

By MRS. BELLOC LOWNDES

More than 1,800 actions for divorce—a higher number than for 10 years past—are down for hearing during the new law term in England.

"Why not make it up?" Such is the question addressed with earnest emphasis to every French married couple about to apply for relief in the Paris Divorce Court.

Some years ago I was well acquainted with one of these matrimonial conciliators, and, looking back, I am struck by the fact that his qualifications for this far from easy post were simply that he was a kindly man of the world, happily married, and with children to whom he was devoted. He had also apparently been chosen for the good reason which, in his case, was coupled with that kindness of heart which is far removed from sentimentality.

His procedure, once described to me, was as follows. He first interviewed each husband and wife separately, making the while a serious attempt to learn something of their circumstances, so that he might form some idea of what had brought his or her desire for a separation. Then he saw the two together, and urged them to compose their quarrel. He told me that he himself was often surprised at the success of his efforts, for frequently a man and woman who had come into his presence scowling at one another, and even, in some cases, ready to fly at each other's throats, walked out of his room arm-in-arm.

It is rumoured that the example set so long ago in France is about to be followed in this country, owing to the alarming increase which is taking place as regards both judicial separation and divorce.

Should this new post be created, surely the ideal Marriage Conciliator would be a middle-aged doctor, of either sex, who has been for some years in general practice and so has come in touch with innumerable married couples in all classes and conditions of life.

Now what has brought about both the increase in serious matrimonial disputes and the eagerness of many couples to seek release from what have apparently become intolerable bonds? The answer to this question is of great moment to those who are contemplating marriage; to all parents; and most certainly to every human being who has the social welfare of his country at heart.

I think many of my happily married readers, among those who do not consider themselves yet as old, would agree that an astonishing change has taken place in their own lifetime with regard to this question.

Not so very long ago the possibility of divorce, or even of judicial separation, never occurred to the average man and wife. In fact, what is true of many human ills was especially true then of marital disagreements. The happy—mark the old-fashioned phrase—were each subconsciously aware that, as he and she were situated, there was no alternative but to live up to the old adage "What can't be cured must be endured."

And, as many of us can remember with either a smile or a sigh,

when a cure was needed old Dame Nature sometimes took a hand and often made quite a good job where human skill had failed; and so, again I ask, what has brought about so astounding a change in the most important of human relations?

Bad temper certainly plays a smaller part now than it did in the matrimonial quarrels of our forefathers. But it still forms an extremely destructive force in married life. Foolish people laugh when they say that a woman "has a temper," yet nothing kills married love so quickly; and even a good-humoured husband will soon come to look at such a wife with a mixture of disgust and contempt.

Commoner to-day is the type of woman who restrains her temper with the man she loves, but who expects him to take violent sides if she quarrels with a neighbour, a servant, or, worst of all, a relation.

Less usual than was once the case, yet not unusual even now, though seldom given as the reason for a misunderstanding between a husband and wife, is meanness. This unpleasant quality has but little to do with income. Wealthy men are often extremely parsimonious, and poor men open-handed.

A not uncommon type of the old-fashioned husband who likes his mate to be what is called a home bird, is the man who is generous to himself and as mean as he dares to be to his wife. He calculates the smallest allowance on which he thinks she ought to manage, and is hurt and surprised that she does not make him comfortable.

Jealousy is seldom mentioned nowadays. But this primeval passion still lurks in the background of every married life, and in my opinion the reasons for jealousy have greatly increased. In the times of our grandparents, when a man was known or supposed to be jealous of his wife, it meant only one thing. But in our time many a young man becomes bitterly jealous of his wife's outside interests, especially if she be one of the many modern wives who go on working after they are married.

Indeed, I would go so far as to say that a husband may be more jealous of his wife's work than he would ever be of another man. One reason for this is that many a woman who talks incessantly of the work in which her mind is not unnaturally absorbed would certainly not even allude to her friendship with a man.

A sensible wife should make a special point of leaving whatever she is doing apart from her husband completely behind her when she quits the business or the office where she is employed. And I come now to what has always seemed to me the all-important question in marriage. This is the healing virtue of silence.

There are not many unwise popular sayings, but surely among them is "Tell the truth and shame the devil." As for so-called home truths, they should never be mentioned by a husband to a wife or by a wife to a husband. Not only, as Swinburne wrote, "silence is most noble to the end," but almost always silence is a balm that

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**The Very Idea!**  
**THIS WEATHER**

By Horatio Bogg, Meteorologist

FOR the sixth time yesterday, Bogg had had inane remarks anent the cold and/or fine weather thrown at his head, by persons who could think of nothing more intellectual to talk about. Goaded to exasperation, it was just too bad for the Cub Reporter that on meeting for the first time yesterday morning in the lift, he should hit on the same topic with which to resume daily relations. This was what happened when Bogg ran amuck:

"Top of the morning to you, Mr. Bogg."

"All the rest of it to you, young man."

"Thank you kindly, Sir. May I be permitted to say that the weather to-day is simply topping?"

"Certainly not. What if it is?"

"Oh nothing, Sir, except that we have had such abominable conditions lately, that to-day has come as a pleasant change indeed."

"Damitall, man, don't I know that too? Why speak of the obvious? But perhaps you are suggesting I have not the sense to find that out for myself? If so, you are guilty of a piece of disrespect to your elders. I am not sure it has not amounted to impertinence."

"But, Sir, I did not mean to be disrespectful or impertinent. Please pardon me."

"I am not sure that I ought not to be very, very angry over this reprehensible conduct on your part. Indeed I am surprised at my moderation."

"You have such wonderful self-control, Sir, if I may be permitted to say so."

"That is at it may be. But, questions of conduct apart, I am not sure that the weather is a safe topic for discussion."

"I am most interested, Sir."

"It is this, young man, that the best of us may not speak with certainty on any matter, leastways on such a tricky thing as the weather. That is, with the possible exception of one authority."

"And who may that be, Sir?"

"I refer to the Weather Authority."

"And is he a very great authority on the subject, Sir?"

"He is, my boy. What he says about the weather goes. When he says the weather is going to be 'fair to cloudy,' depend on it we shall have tolerable good weather."

"But if, after that, we still have bad weather?"

"There son, you are beginning to ask foolish questions. It is in every one of us always to hope for the best, and if he should err, he has erred no more than other optimists."

"Then the only safe thing to do is to take our weather, fair or foul, as it comes?"

"Precisely, my boy. I see you have profited from your journalistic career, short as it has been."

"I may therefore not even say that is good weather, in case it turns out to be foul?"

"You are a lad of uncommon perspicacity. If you keep on at this rate, I may permit you to write for this column."

"Very kind of you to think so, Sir. What led me to refer to the fine weather just now, Sir, is that I had hoped you might be induced by its favourable conditions to honour me with your company at the Gloucester Lounge."

"Why did you not say that right away? However, it is not too late. But always keep this in mind, my son, I never object to the glass going up—always provided it's full to the brim, and is moving in the direction of my lips."

heals, even if the healing takes the bitter form of the cauterising of a wound.

Cruel, taunting, even foolish, words are what often keep open a festering sore which taints the very springs of love in married life.

The little word "obey" is now sometimes left out in one marriage service, yet obedience plays a great part in married life. Many a man is well aware that there will be trouble if he does not obey his wife. I was amused the other day to hear that a famous admiral lately exclaimed: "I was in the Navy for 50 years, but I have learned that the discipline of the quarterdeck is nothing to the discipline of home."



"You can't do anything with him, officer. His parents have spoiled him."



SPECULATION IN  
COMMODITIESOFFICIAL RECEIVER TO  
OPEN INQUIRY

London, Feb. 19. In the House of Commons today, Mr. Grenfell (Labour, Gower Division of Glamorganshire) asked whether it was intended to take any action regarding the loss of confidence in the City of London, in view of the recent speculation in commodities.

Mr. Duff-Cooper (Financial Secretary to the Treasury) replied that in view of the steps taken to minimize the effects of such speculation, it was incorrect to ascribe to it the movement of those securities, to which presumably Mr. Grenfell was referring.

Regarding further action, the Official Receiver in the case of James and Shakespeare, would be required, under the Companies' Act, to make a full inquiry into the cause of failure. He would have to report whether, in his opinion, further inquiry was desirable into the circumstances attending the promotion of the company and the conduct of its business.

The Act also provided that the official receiver might further report whether, in his opinion, any fraud had been committed in the formation and promotion of the company, or by the directors or other officers.

The Government intended to wait for the result of this inquiry before considering the matter further.—*Reuter*.

## Elastic Tin Scheme

London, Feb. 19. Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister (Secretary of State for the Colonies) replying to Mr. David Grenfell in the House of Commons today, said that the Government was watching developments in the tin market, but did not consider any action on its part was called for.

One of the advantages of a completely elastic scheme, such as the tin scheme, was that it largely eliminated opportunity for and risk of speculation, by providing a means for adjusting the supply and the demand. It also secured, as far as possible, the fullest information regarding stocks.

The price of tin remained remarkably stable for many months, with the result, he understood, that speculation had been greatly diminished.

There was also a scheme under the control of the governments participating, which could be used as an additional safeguard against serious fluctuations in price.

The World Economic Conference reviewed exhaustively the operation of the tin scheme and expressed full approval of the scheme and its operation.

## Tin Plate Industry

Mr. Grenfell further asked whether Sir Philip was aware of the grave injuries caused by the present high price of tin to the tin plate industry.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies replied in the negative. He always understood that the essential for consumers was a stable price. The present Government was in exactly the same position as the Labour Government when the scheme was adopted.

As regards the financial result of the tin pool, the Minister said: "It is quite obvious that if you have a buffer pool, controlled by Governments in order to control speculation, you cannot disclose the exact position of the pool daily."

Mr. Wilmot suggested that the scheme operated to the disadvantage of the Empire producers. The Minister replied that no statement could conceivably be further from the truth.—*Reuter*.

## Banks as Speculators?

London, Feb. 19. In the House of Commons today, Mr. J. C. Wilmot (Labour, Fulham East) asked whether the Chancellor of the Exchequer proposed taking any action to prevent joint stock banks becoming involved in transactions similar to that of the pepper.

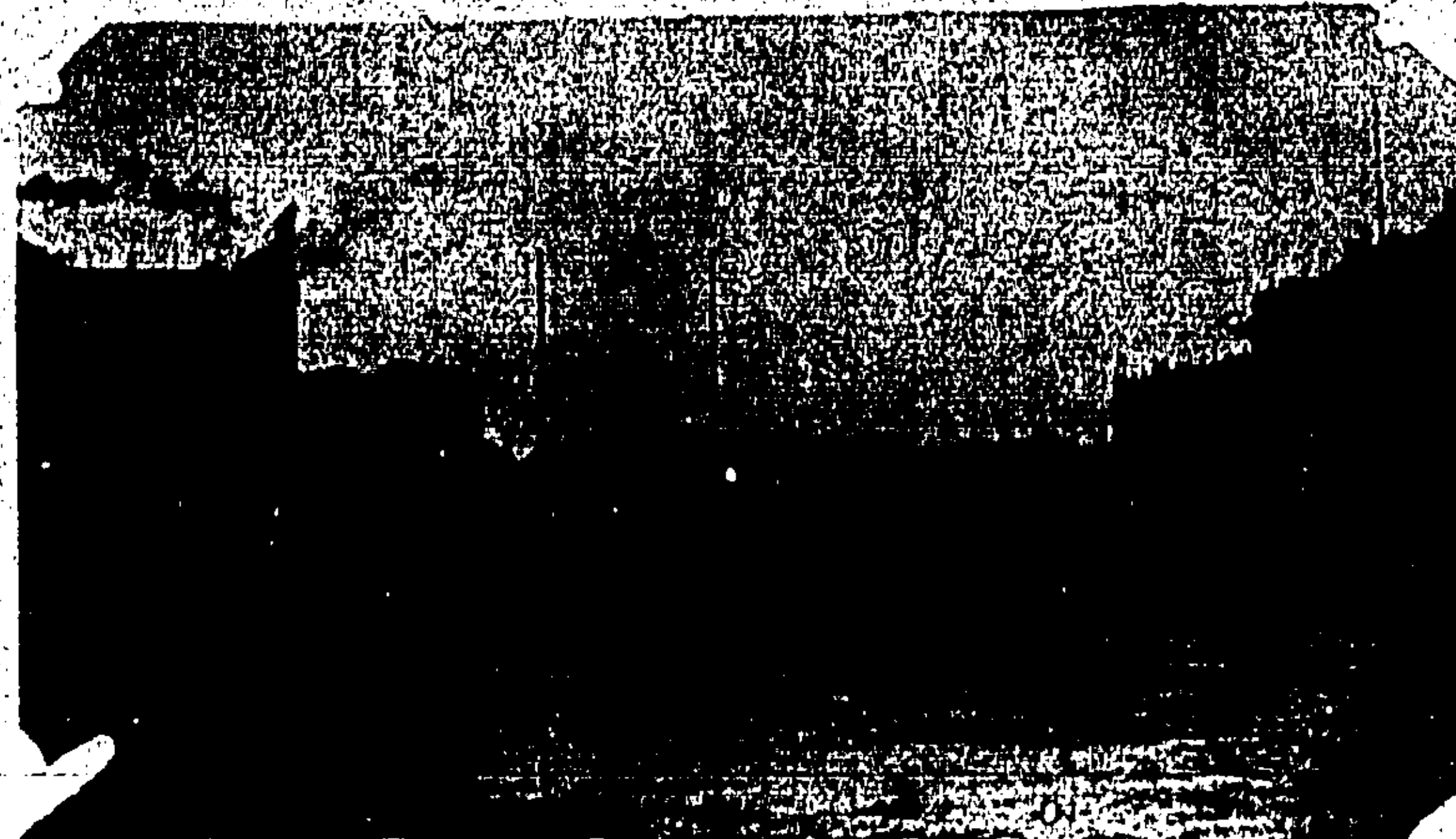
Mr. Chamberlain replied that it was entirely contrary to British banking practice to speculate in commodities. He had no reason to assume that any banks did do so on this occasion.

Mr. Wilmot requested that an inquiry be held into this grave public matter, especially as regards the connection between persons involved in recent speculation and those involved in other commodity pools, tin for example.

Mr. Chamberlain advised that it would be better to await the result of the inquiry by the Official Receiver.—*Reuter*.

SINO-JAPANESE  
TALKS

Shanghai, Feb. 19. Major-General Dolhara called on General Huang Fu, Chairman of the Peking Political Council, and Mr. Chang Kung-Chuen, Manager of the Bank of China, here this morning, prior to his departure for Nanking. He is proceeding to Nanking by train to-night.—*Central News*.



Heavy rains interfered with sport in Shanghai recently. Our picture shows the Kaseochoo flooded by an overnight downfall.

## SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:—

**Banks.**  
Hongkong Bank, \$1520.  
H.K. Bank, Lon. Reg., \$131½  
ex div. n.  
Chartered Bank, \$15½ n.  
Mercantile Bank, A. and B.  
\$31½ n.  
Mercantile Bank C., \$13½ n.  
East of Asia Bank, \$50 n.  
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$20 n.  
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$180 n.  
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$4½ n.

**Insurance.**  
Canton Ins., \$260 n.  
Union Ins., \$492½ n.  
China Underwriters, \$130 b.  
China Fire, \$490 n.  
H.K. Fire Ins., \$227½ b.  
Internat'l Assee. Sh. \$5.00 n.

**Shipping.**  
Douglas, \$30½ b.  
H.K. Steamships, \$7½ n.  
Indo-China, (Prof.) \$30 n.  
Indo-China, (Def.), \$33 n.  
Shells (Bearer), \$1/8 n.  
Union Waterboats, \$12½ n.

**Wine.**  
Antamoks, 9½ ea.  
Balates \$43 b.  
Bangu Gold, 38 cts. n.  
Bonquet Consolidated \$14 s.  
Bonquet Exp. 17 cts. n.  
Bonquet Goldfield, 10 cts. n.  
Big Wedge, 10 cts. n.  
Gold Creek, 38½ cts. n.  
Gold River 22 cts. s.

**Iron Mining.**  
Ipo Mining, \$1 n.  
Hogons, 42 cts. n.  
Salicot, 10 cts. n.  
Kailan, 18/6 n.

**Langkate (Single), \$18 n.**  
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.  
Shai Loans, Sh. \$6 n.  
Rauba \$7.50 n.

**Venz: Goldfield, \$5 n.**  
**Docks, etc.**  
H.K. Wharves, \$11½ s.  
H.K. Docks, \$11½ s.

**Providents (old), \$1.25 b.**  
Providents (new), 90 cts. n.  
Hongkwa (old), Sh. \$309 n.  
New Engineering, Sh. \$5.80 n.  
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$120 n.

**Cotton Mills.**  
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$9.22½ n.  
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$74 n.  
Shai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$45 n.

**Zeong Sings, \$9.30 n.**  
**Land, Hotels, etc.**  
H. and S. Hotels, \$4.95 b.  
H.K. Lands, \$50 n.

**H.K. Lands 4% debentures, \$101 b.**  
Shai Lands, Sh. \$22 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$12.20 n.

**Humphreys, \$10 n.**  
H.K. Realities, \$8.10 n.  
Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$100 n.  
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$17 n.

**Chinese Estates, \$93 n.**  
China Realities, Sh. \$9.60 n.  
China Debenture, \$123 n.

**Public Utilities.**  
Tramway, \$22.25 b.  
Peak Trams (old), \$8½ n.  
Peak Trams (new), \$6 n.

**Star Ferries, \$94 n.**  
Yaumati Ferries, (old), \$22 n.  
China Lights (old), \$10.20 b.  
H.K. Electric, \$71 b.

**Macao Electric, \$25 n.**  
Sandakan Lights, \$5 n.  
Telephone (old), \$25 n.  
Telephone (new), \$10.15 b.

**China Bus, Sh. \$12.40 n.**  
Singapore Traction, 7/3 n.  
Singapore Pref. 18/- n.

**Industrial.**  
Malayan Sugars, \$8.50 n.  
Cold Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.  
Cold Macg. (Prof.), \$19½ n.

**Canton Ices, \$2.75 b.**  
Cement (Com.), \$2.05 b.  
H.K. Ropes, \$3.80 n.

**Stores.**  
Dairy Farms, \$23.75 n.  
Watson, \$4½ n.  
Lane Crawfords, \$3.75 n.

**Mackintosh, \$21 n.**  
Sinceres, \$5 n.  
Wm. Powell, 70 cts. n.  
Wing On (H.K.), \$105 n.

**Miscellaneous.**  
Amusements, \$1.35 n.  
H.K. Entertainment, 37½ n.  
S. C. Enterprise, \$1.35 n.

**Macao "Treasures", \$2 n.**  
Constructions (old), \$1.70 n.  
Construction (new), 49 cts. b.  
Vibor Piling, \$5½ n.  
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds  
89% n.

**H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6½ % prem.  
b.**  
H.K. Govt. 3½ % Loan 8 % prem.  
n.

## BRITISH FINANCES

GOOD INCOME TAX  
YIELD

London, Feb. 19. The latest Treasury returns show that ordinary revenue for the financial year up to February 16 amounted to £503,873,320, as compared with £609,701,084 for the corresponding period of last year. Including self-balancing revenue, the figures are £670,468,820 and £683,098,084 respectively.

Income tax collected last week amounted to about £14,000,000, bringing the total to date to £175,669,000, as against £173,594,000 at the corresponding date last year.

Total ordinary expenditure up to last Saturday was £622,286,759, as compared with £608,392,793 at February 17, 1934. With self-balancing expenditure, the total for the current year is £705,248,427, as against £690,472,745.—*British Wireless*.

CHINA TRADE  
MISSIONLEAVING TO-DAY FOR  
PHILIPPINES

Shanghai, Feb. 20. The Philippine commercial investigation mission, organized by local Chinese merchants, which consists of twenty-six members, is leaving here for Manila via Hongkong, on board the President Jefferson this morning.

The mission's object is the cultivating trade relation between Philippines and China.—*Central News*.

## BIG ESTATE

LATE MR. LAM WOO  
LEAVES \$818,000

Mr. Lam Woo, alias Lam Kau-chuek, the well-known local building contractor, of No. 1 Tramway Path who died on December 27, 1933, has left estate sworn at \$818,700.

Double probate of the will has been granted to his son, Lam Chik-uen, of No. 117 Waterloo Road, Kowloon.



Miss Patricia Nelson, the sparkling entertainer, who will appear at the Gala Night at the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel on Saturday, in conjunction with Armand and Diana, a clever dance pair.

U.S. COMMODITY  
PRICESLATEST CABLED  
QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday in conjunction with *Reuter*.

New York Cotton	Feb. 18.	Feb. 19.
Close	Closing	Range
March	12.69	12.44-12.44
May	12.07	12.53-12.53
July	12.71	12.68-12.58
October	12.58	12.49-12.49
December	12.65	12.55-12.55
January (1935)	12.07	12.57-12.57
Spot	12.80	12.65

New York Rubber	Feb. 18.	Feb. 19.
Close	Closing	Range
March	13.42b	13.15-13.15
May	13.50	13.28-13.30
July	13.72	13.45-13.44
October	13.89	13.60-13.63
December	13.97	13.69-13.69
January	14.15	13.86-13.88

Total sales:—618 lots

Chicago Wheat	Feb. 18.	Feb. 19.
Close	Closing	Range
May	99	98½-98½
July	92½	91½-92
September	90½	90½-90½
Monday's sales	—	—227,000 bushels

Chicago Corn

Chicago Corn	Feb. 18.	Feb. 19.
Close	Closing	Range
May	89	87½-87½
July	83½	82½-82½
September	79½	78½-78½
Monday's sales	—	—6,388,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat

Winnipeg Wheat	Feb. 18.	Feb. 19.
Close	Closing	Range
May	83½	83½-83½
July	82½	82½-82½

New York Silk

New York Silk	Feb. 18.	Feb. 19.
Close	Closing	Range
March	1.42	1.40½-1.40½
May	1.43	1.40½-1.41
July	1.43	1.41½-1.41½
Total sales	—	—258 lots

Montreal Silver

Montreal Silver	Feb. 18.	Feb. 19.
Close	Closing	Range
March	55.05	55.30-55.40
May	55.00	55.75-55.75
July	55.00	55.30-55.50
September	55.55	55.75-57.00
Total sales	—	—60 contracts

The Hongkong "Singers" will hold their rehearsal in connection with their forthcoming rendering of "Eljah", in St. John's Cathedral on Thursday, March 28, at 5.30 p.m.

Prof. W. Brown, of the Hongkong University, is to deliver a lecture at St. Andrew's Church Hall on Wednesday, February 27, at 9 p.m., when his subject will be the river Nile. The lecture will be illustrated.

A free lecture (illustrated) will be given in the Concert Hall at the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home this evening commencing at 8.30 by Professor Brown of the Hongkong University. The lecture is entitled "Iceland Keller, the Deaf and Blind Author." A hearty invitation is extended to all who are interested to attend.

RADIO  
BROADCASTRelay from the Majestic  
Ballroom To-night

## TWO STUDIO ITEMS

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles):

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
6-8.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.

7-7.17 p.m. Nursery Suite (Elgar).  
London Symphony Orchestra.  
7.17-7.30 p.m. A Cello Recital by Beatrice Harrison.

1. Sarabande (Handel); 2. Orlentale (Cui); 3. Elegie (Debussy); 4. Caprice (Debussy).  
7.30-8 p.m. Variety.

Band—The Gay Nineties—Waltz Medley.  
Songs—Sara Tol—Tango Chanto. (Song).  
Milo. Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).  
Humorous—Riding down from Bangkok.  
Humorous—The King of Zulu.

Instrumental—The Grasshopper and the Ant.  
Instrumental—Nasty Man.  
Instrumental—Kitten on the Keys.  
8 p.m. Time and Weather.  
8.03-9 p.m. "Empress of Canada" Orchestra directed by Mr. G. H. Redfern.

Programme.  
1. March—Colonel Bogey .... Alford.  
2. Waltz—Reverie ..... Waldteufel.  
3. Selection—Patience ..... Sullivan.  
4. Entracte.

(a) Love's Garden of Roses, Wood.  
(b) Your Love is all .... Zamecnik.  
(c) Londonderry Air ..... Anon.  
(d) In a Persian Market .... Keteby.

5. Fox-Trot—Selected.  
9-9.17 p.m.—A Violin Recital by Broadlaw Huberman.  
1. Waltz in C Sharp Minor (Chopin); 2. Capriccio (Elgar); 3. Romanza Andaluza (Sarasate); 4. Mazurka (Zaretsky).

9.17-9.30 p.m. Band Music.  
Neil Gwynn Dances (Edward German).  
Humorous (Dvorak).  
9.30 p.m. Press Bulletins, Stock and Commodity.

9.35-10.05 p.m. From the Studio Margaret King (Soprano) accompanied by Nura Kania (Baritone) accompanied by Dorcas Ma.  
"Nura Kania"—Pianoforte Programme.

1. Song—Ay Ay Ay.  
2. Piano Solo.  
3. Impromptu in A Flat. Schubert.  
4. Song.  
(a) The Policeman's Song.  
(b) My Ship.

4. Piano Solo.  
5. The Prophet Bird .... Schumann.  
6. Song.  
On Wings of Song .... Mendelssohn.  
Lullaby .... Brahms.  
6. Song.  
Why Shouldn't I?  
10.05-11 p.m. Dance Orchestra from the Majestic Ballroom.

10.30 p.m. Press Bulletins, News, Stock and Commodity Quotations.  
11 p.m. Close Down.

## ZEESEN PROGRAMMES

This Evening's Broadcast From  
The German Short-Wavers

Special programmes for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast from Zeesen as follows:

**SOUTH ASIA ZONE**  
South Asia Zone, broadcast from DJN (19.74 metres) and DJN (18.48 metres).  
4.45 p.m. DJN. DJN Announcement (German, English). German Folk Song. Programme Forecast (German, English).  
5 p.m. Music and Typical Events.  
5.15 p.m. News in English.  
5.45 p.m. "Cool fan letter" by W. A. Menart.

5.45 p.m. News in German.  
6 p.m. Concert of Light Music.  
6.15 p.m. News in English.  
6.15 p.m. Close down DJN, DJN (German, English).

**EAST ASIA ZONE**  
East Asia Zone broadcast through DJN on 18.15 metres, and DJN (18.48 metres).  
9 p.m. DJN. DJN Announcement (German, English). German Folk Song. Programme Forecast (German, English).  
9.15 p.m. Short Musical Programmes.  
9.30 p.m. Sven Hedin (for his 70th birthday). A Talk by Professor Walter Voeltz.  
9.45 p.m. News in English on DJN and in Dutch on DJN.  
10 p.m. "Cool fan letter" by W. A. v. Menart.

10.15 p.m. News in German on DJN and in Dutch on DJN.  
10.30 p.m. A Walk through the Amsterdam Exhibition.  
10.45 p.m. Dance Music.  
10.55 a.m. News in English on DJN and in Dutch on DJN.  
11.20 a.m. Close down DJN, DJN (German, English).

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**Transmission 2**  
To-day's broadcast on Transmission 2, through GBS and GBF.  
7 p.m. Big Ben. The Scottish Gaelic Choir.  
7.15 p.m. Quintet Maclean, at the Organ.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 7.15 p.m.  
8.15 p.m. Reginald Smith's "Nonsense." 9 p.m. Charlie Manning and his Orchestra.  
9.30 p.m. An Organ Recital by D. H. Pennington.  
9.45 p.m. The News.  
10 p.m. Close down.

**Transmission 3**  
To-day's broadcast on Transmission 3, through GBS and GBF.  
10.15 p.m. Big Ben. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.  
11 p.m. An Organ Recital by Allen Dransfield.  
11.20 p.m. "The Frantic Waltz."  
Greenwich Time Signal at 11.20 p.m.  
12 a.m. The Westminster Municipal Or-

**Transmission 5**  
This morning's broadcast from Transmission 5, through GBS and GBF.  
6 a.m. Big Ben. The Scottish Gaelic Choir.  
6.15 a.m. Sports Talk.  
6.45 a.m. The B.B.C. Empire Orchestra.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 6.45 a.m.  
6.45 a.m. The News.  
7 a.m. Close down.



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## FORCED LANDING

R.A.F. ACCIDENT NEAR  
MIRS BAY

Flight Lieut. H. H. Leech, R.A.F., had a narrow escape from injury yesterday morning, when he was forced to bring his plane down on the foreshore at Fung Bay, while flying over the promontory on the western entrance to Mirs Bay.

The reason for the forced landing is as yet unexplained, but it was stated by Squadron Leader C. R. Keary, R.A.F., last night that the plane had been brought down without damage and without injury to the pilot.

Flight Lieut. Leech was brought back to Hongkong last evening, and the plane will be brought in to-day.

cheers.  
12.45 a.m. The News.  
1 a.m. The John MacArthur Quintet.  
1.15 a.m. Dance Music.  
1.45 a.m. Close down.

**Transmission 4**  
To-night's broadcast from Transmission 4, through GBS and GBF.  
10 a.m. Big Ben. The News.  
1.15 a.m. From the Shows.  
2.30 a.m. The Victor Olat Sextet.  
3.30 a.m. The Victor Olat Sextet.  
4 a.m. Peter Brown, at the Organ of the Royal Chosen, Toronto.  
4.30 a.m. The News.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 4.30 a.m.  
4.45 a.m. Sports Talk.  
4.45 a.m. Entertainment Hour.  
5 a.m. The News



# JAPANESE NET STARS WIN AND LOSE IN MANILA

## HAYASHI REACHES THE SEMI-FINAL

### YOSHIOKA OUT: MOON WINS IN FOUR SETS

Manila, Feb. 17.

E. F. Moon, the former Australian Davis Cup player has reached the quarter-final of the Philippines All-Corner Tennis Championship as a result of a victory over Felix Ampon, former Philippines champion by the scores of 4-6, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2.

Moon is scheduled to play Mauricio Zamora in the next round, while Leonarda Gavin has to play L. Szwarcz, another Australian competitor.

Manuel Aragon, Number Two in the Philippines Tennis Ranking, to-day eliminated Toshihuru Yoshioka, the Japanese

star after a fine five-set struggle. As a result he is now in the quarter-finals. After leading his opponent 6-3, 6-3 in two sets, Yoshioka fell behind, finally losing the next three sets 2-6, 3-6, 6-0. Shiroku Hayashi, who took Nishimura to five sets in the semi-final of the Japanese National Championship only a few months ago, has displayed remarkable form and has already reached the semi-final. He is scheduled to play again on Thursday. In spite of Gavin's fine form, and Moon's strong challenge, Hayashi is slight favourite for the title.

## F. M. Arculli And Stapleton

BAT WELL AT K. C. C.

Fielding a strong side which included L. D. Kibbe of the Club and Esmael, F. M. el Arculli, A. R. Sufiad and M. el Arculli of the Indian Recreation Club, the Hongkong Sharebrokers Association yesterday drew with the Kowloon Cricket Club in a holiday cricket fixture, the 3½ hours of play producing 302 runs for the loss of eight wickets.

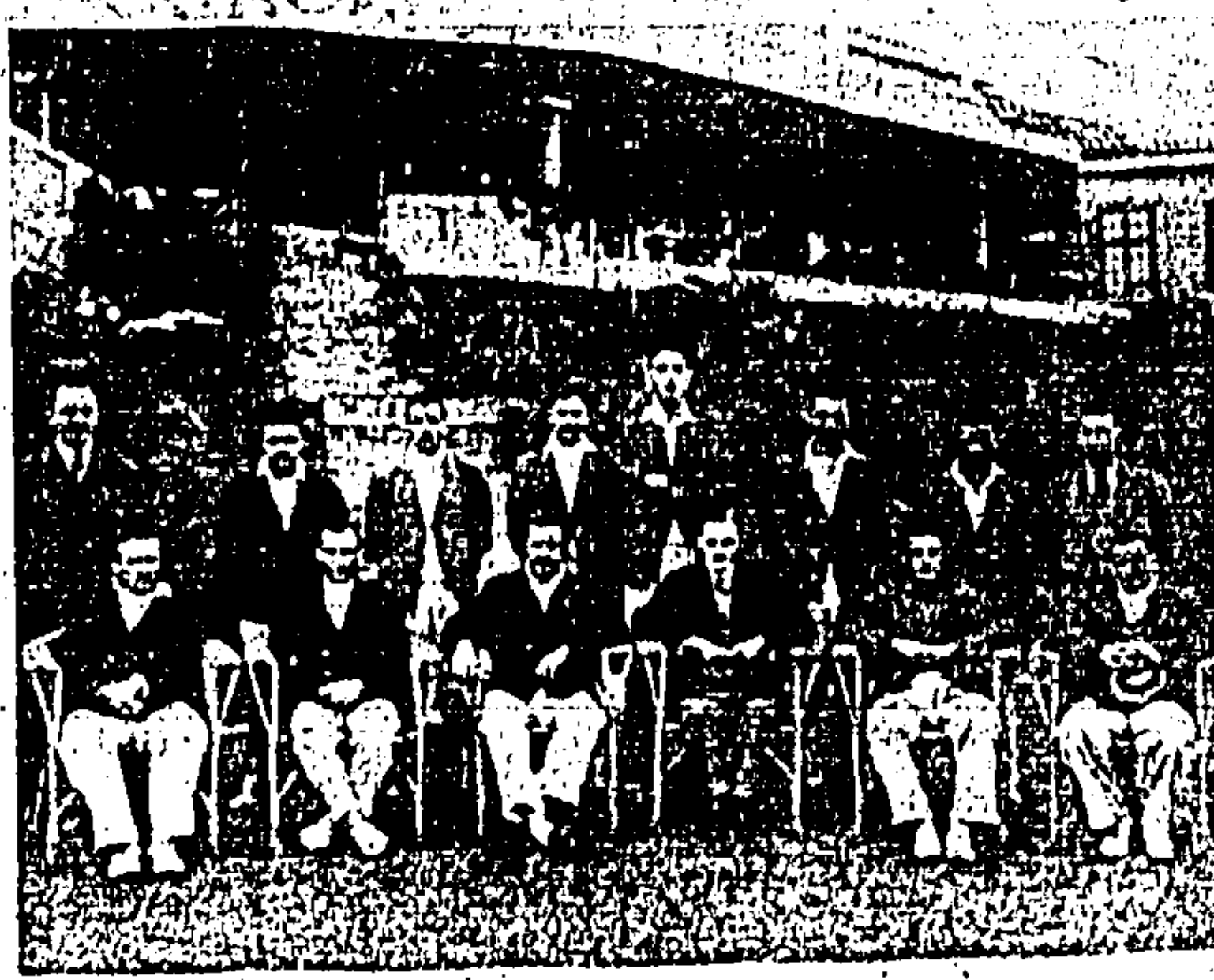
The Sharebrokers batted first, losing their first four wickets for 92. Then the Arculli brothers became associated in a prolific and unfinished partnership of 92, both hitting very hard and running extremely well for short singles.

F. M. el Arculli scored 69 not out, including seven boundaries, while M. el Arculli gathered 43 not out, and had eight 4's as his best strokes. The K.C.C. lost their first wicket at two, and then C. I. Stapleton and F. A. Broadbridge put together 52 for the second wicket. Broadbridge contributing 27. Stapleton batted very soundly and was finally unbeaten with 60 to his credit, a chanceless innings being featured by one 6 and ten 4's. When stumps were drawn the home team had scored 118 for 4, being 66 runs in arrears.

## LOCAL HOCKEY

On the Club ground at King's Park yesterday afternoon the Hongkong Singapore Brigade Royal Artillery defeated the European Y.M.C.A. by three goals to one. Both teams were level at the interval. Aya Singh scored all the goals for the Indians while W. J. Brown netted for the civilians.

In a friendly hockey match played on the Police Training School ground yesterday afternoon, the Police second eleven defeated the Royal Army Medical Corps by three goals to one.



The Small Units cricket team which opposed the Kowloon Cricket Club and were beaten on Sunday last. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

## BIG FIGHT ENDS IN FIASCO

JUDGE PUTS UNTIMELY STOP TO HOMERIC STRUGGLE

KID BERG GIVEN DECISION OVER GUSTAVE HUMMERY

(By Fred Dartnell)

London, Jan. 24.

The big fight at the Albert Hall last night between Kid Berg, the British light-weight champion, and Gustave Humery, of France, ended in an unpleasant fiasco.

For eight rounds the spectators had been treated to one of the fiercest struggles ever seen in this famous ring. Both men indulged in one long crescendo of hitting, in which there was hardly a moment's breathing space.

They are hustlers of the highest class, and the fortunes of war swung invitingly from one to the other. I thought at the end of the sixth round Humery, by virtue of his harder hitting, was gradually putting up a lead on points.

### DAMAGE NOT SERIOUS

His left eye had been cut in a ferocious interchange of punches, but the damage was not enough to handicap him and it did not affect in the slightest his eager desire to go in and batter down an adversary who was obsessed with the same good intention.

Judge of the surprise of everybody, fighters and spectators alike, when at the end of the eighth round, which had matched its predecessors for its intensive force and speed, the Judge examined Humery's eye and signified that the fight was over. When Humery realised what had occurred he danced with rage and his seconds had much to do to keep him from rushing across the ring to engage in an unofficial combat with Berg, to whom the verdict had been given.

### GREAT OVATION FOR HUMERY

After a while Humery was reluctantly brought to reason and the acceptance of authority, which on this occasion seemed to me to have made a faux pas. He shook hands with Berg and tears were suspiciously near.

The spectators, certain that justice had nodded for once and that a glorious fighting finish had been prevented, gave Humery an ovation that lasted nearly two minutes. He deserved it. I was surprised that Berg was able to maintain the tremendous pace of this Homeric struggle. How it would have ended I cannot say, but Humery appeared to be leading when the unhappy intervention came with only two rounds to go.

It was unfortunate, too, from the patrons point of view, that two more fights were cut short of the appointed time.

When George Daly, of London,

met Norman Snow, of Northampton, the fight was proceeding in a clever and exhilarating fashion.

But Snow had received a cut on the mouth, and at the end of the sixth round the referee stopped the bout with no more reason to my way of thinking than that given for the stoppage of the other contest.

I think Daly was winning on points. Yet a third bout was also stopped, and this time for a foul that was not apparent to the majority of those at the ringside. Altogether, a very unsatisfactory night's boxing that had promised so well.

### REFEREE'S STATEMENT

Mr. Deyong, the referee, stated afterwards "The cut over Humery's eye was a very nasty one. It is when boxers go on fighting with such an injury that they become blind. I was absolutely justified in stopping the fight."

Mr. Deyong added that, in his opinion, Berg had a lead on points. Humery, in broken English, said to a reporter: "No, sir, they should not have stopped the fight. I am just as fit now as when I started."

## AT LAST!

AYR BEATEN BY KING'S PARK

BURNLEY WINS CUP REPLAY

London, Feb. 19.

After six hours and 40 minutes of football, spread over four games, the King's Park-Ayr Scottish Cup tie has finally been settled.

In the third replay of this second round match to-day, King's Park defeated Ayr by the odd goal in three, and thus earn the right to play the Airdrieonians on the latter's ground on Saturday.

Burnley easily polished off Notts Forest in the fifth round replay for the English Cup, winning by three clear goals. On Saturday last at Nottingham, the teams drew one-all.

There are still three more fifth round ties to be decided, but the

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(By "Robin")

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DRAW: Arsenal, Aldershot, Gateshead.

## OUR FORECAST

### LEAGUE & CUP

The following is the special Telegraph forecast for Saturday's English League and Scottish Cup football matches:

#### FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham v Liverpool  
Everton v Aston V.  
Grimsby v Derby  
Huddersfield v Chelsea  
Manchester v Arsenal  
Middlesbrough v Blackburn  
Preston v Leicester  
Sheff Wed v Sunderland  
Stoke v Wolves  
Tottenham v Southampton  
West Ham v Nottams  
Wolves v Burnley

#### SECOND DIVISION.

Bolton v Port Vale  
Bradford v Hull  
Brentford v Bradford C.  
Bury v Swansea  
Cardiff v Notts F.  
Chester v West Ham  
Exeter v Blackpool  
Gillingham v Sheffield  
Hull v Manchester U.  
Luton v Plymouth  
Notts C. v Oldham  
Preston v Bury  
Sheff Wed v Burnley  
Southampton v Torquay  
Tottenham v Torquay  
Wolves v Torquay

#### THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Brighton v Watford  
Bristol R. v Cardiff  
Bristol S. v Torquay  
Charlton v Queen's Park  
Gillingham v Millwall  
Luton v Crystal P.  
Notts C. v Bristol C.  
Preston v Aldershot  
Reading v Newport  
Sheff Wed v Exeter  
Southampton v Swindon

#### THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Accrington v Gateshead  
Barnsley v Carlisle  
Chester v Doncaster  
Darlington v Lincoln  
Hull v Stockport  
Mansfield v Southport  
N. BRIGHTON v Rochdale  
Rotherham v Hartlepool  
Sheff Wed v Wrexham  
Walsall v Tranmere  
York v Crewe

#### SCOTTISH CUP

Third Round  
Rangers v St. Mirren  
Aberdeen v Hibernians  
Dundee Thistle v St. Johnstone  
Aberrie v King's Park  
Brechin v Hamilton  
Hearts v Dundee

revised draw for the quarter-finals which included to-day's result is given below.

Everton v Tottenham or Bolton  
West Ham v Bristol C. or Preston  
Wolves v Arsenal  
Burnley v Blackburn or Birmingham

## OUR "FORM" GUIDE

### How Your Team Has Been Faring In League

The following table reveals how each team in the four divisions of the English league have fared to date, the results including their last five more matches up to yesterday.

The first figure in each case, of course, is that of the team concerned.

#### FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham	2-2	0-0	0-0	1-3	3-0
Derby C.	2-2	1-1	1-1	3-1	2-2
Leeds	3-3	1-1	0-3	2-4	1-3
Aston Villa	1-1	6-0	1-0	0-0	2-2
Chelsea	0-1	2-2	3-1	0-0	1-3
Middlesbrough	3-0	6-3	2-0	2-6	0-0
Leicester	1-3	1-0	0-5	3-6	0-2
Liverpool	0-2	0-2	2-1	4-2	1-1
Portsmouth	1-1	1-0	1-2	0-2	0-3
Preston	2-2	4-3	2-1	0-0	0-0
Wednesday	1-0	3-5	2-2	1-4	3-0
Sunderland	0-0	2-2	1-3	2-0	0-0
Tottenham	0-0	2-0	1-3	0-1	2-2
West Bromwich	0-3	0-3	0-3	2-0	1-1
Wolves	6-2	1-2	0-3	2-5	2-3
Blackburn	1-5	3-0	2-2	3-1	1-3
Arsenal	2-0	3-0	3-0	4-1	0-3
Grimsby	0-1	1-3	3-0	3-1	2-3
Stoke	0-0	1-1	2-0	0-2	3-1
Huddersfield	0-0	3-1	1-1	3-1	3-2
Everton	2-2	2-2	3-1	1-1	5-2
Manchester C.	0-1	0-0	0-2	6-3	6-2

#### SECOND DIVISION.

Bradford	0-3	1-3	1-2	0-0	4-2
Brentford	3-0	0-2	2-1	1-4	2-1
Burnley	4-0	1-1	0-2	0-0	2-2
Bury	2-1	0-1	4-1	2-1	2-4
Fulham	1-1	3-0	1-1	1-2	2-1
Manchester U.	0-2	3-0	3-0	2-3	0-1
Notts F.	3-0	2-0	0-1	0-5	2-3
Oldham	0-2	1-2	1-2	1-4	0-2
Port Vale	4-0	1-2	2-1	2-1	2-0
Sheff Wed	0-0	0-4	0-2	0-6	4-1
Swansea	3-1	3-0	3-2	2-0	0-1
Southampton	1-0	1-2	1-1	1-1	0-0
Blackpool	1-0	1-2	1-1	0-0	4-1
Plymouth	2-2	2-1	0-3	0-1	1-4
Bradford C.	1-3	1-1	1-1	1-2	0-1
Newcastle	1-1	3-1	3-0	0-2	0-1
Sheff U.	1-1	2-1	2-1	1-1	6-1
Notts C.	2-1	1-1	3-1	3-2	0-2
Hull	2-2	1-0	5-0	1-2	1-2
West Ham	2-0	0-3	2-1	1-0	1-0

#### THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Aldershot	1-2	3-0	0-0	1-1	1-0
Brighton	0-3	5-1	0-3	2-2	0-1
Bristol C.	1-4	2-1	0-3	4-3	1-1
Cardiff	2-2	1-1	1-3	1-1	1-3
Clapton O.	0-3	0-1	1-1	3-3	3-3
Coventry	0-0	0-1	2-1	3-3	0-3
Exeter	2-2	2-2	3-0	0-3	0-2
Gillingham	1-2	3-1	1-3	5-0	0-2
Luton	2-4	2-2	0-3	3-1	1-0
Swindon	1-2	0-3	0-1	2-2	0-1
Crystal P.	1-0	2-2	1-0	3-5	1-2
Bristol R.	7-1	2-1	0-2	6-3	0-2
Watford	2-0	1-1	3-1	3-2	1-1
Charlton	4-2	3-0	2-0	3-1	2-1
Reading	1-1	2-1	0-1	1-4	3-2
Northampton	2-1	1-3	0-0	0-1	1-1
Newport	1-4	1-2	0-1	3-3	0-5
Torquay	2-1	1-1	3-0	1-3	1-0
Southend	1-2	0-3	0-1	2-0	2-0
Queens P. R.	1-2	1-0	0-2	0-2	2-0
Bournemouth	1-0	1-3	4-1	1-0	3-1
Millwall	0-0	2-1	2-4	1-3	1-3

#### THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Accrington	2-3	0-0	1-5	2-4	3-0
Crewe	1-2	2-1	2-1	0-3	4-1
Darlington	1-3	0-0	0-2	0-0	7-4
Gateshead	0-5	2-1	1-2	2-2	1-1
Halifax	4-2	1-1	3-2	1-2	0-6
Lincoln	1-2	4-1	3-1	1-0	3-3
Rotherham	4-0	3-2	0-4	0-2	0-2
Stockport	4-0	3-2	0-4	2-3	2-3
Tranmere	2-2	0-1	1-1	1-1	2-3
Walsall	2-2	2-4	5-0	0-1	0-0
Wrexham	3-3	2-2	1-1	2-3	0-0
New Brighton	4-2	1-0	4-0	0-0	1-7
Doncaster	5-0	5-1	2-0	2-1	7-1
York	2-4	1-1	3-0	1-2	1-1
Sheff U.	3-1	1-1	5-1	2-2	1-1
Mansfield	1-2	4-2	0-0	3-2	3-2
Rochdale	0-3	1-1	1-3	0-0	0-2
Sheff Wed	1-2	0-0	1-1	3-0	0-0
Southport	0-0	0-0	3-3	0-0	1-1
Carlisle	3-0	2-4	1-4	1-0	0-3
Hartlepool	4-0	1-2	4-1	0-3	3-1
Barrow	2-1	0-5	1-1	2-3	3-2

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The fifth interval will be taken after the fifth race on the first four days.

**MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE.**

Members are reminded that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day including tax—or \$40.00 including tax for the Meeting (ladies \$5.00 and \$20.00 respectively) are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a member, such member to be responsible for all debts, etc. etc.

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The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 per day including tax for all persons including ladies and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted to the Public Enclosure at \$1.00 per day including tax.

Bookmakers, the Tax men etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting. Tickets will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

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Passes for Servants will be issued on application to the Secretary, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building.

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By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 11th February, 1935.

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## BOWL FINELY

Splendid bowling by Lt. C. C. Garthwaite and C. S. M. Elvin caused the collapse of the Volunteers in both their innings, and enabled the United Services to win by 119 runs in the two-day fixture which was concluded on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground yesterday.

R. H. Griffiths made a valiant effort to save his side, and his score of 65 was the result of a polished innings, easily the best in the match.

When the Volunteers resumed their first innings yesterday, Lt. Garthwaite ran through the side, and finished up with the excellent figures of six wickets for 24 runs.

The United Services declared their second innings closed after losing two wickets for 80 runs. Capt. L. J. Walsh and Lt.-Col. Newsom, who opened the batting, played exhilarating cricket, hitting the bowling to all parts of the field.

Set with 252 runs to make, the Volunteers collapsed again in spite of a brilliant innings by R. H. Griffiths, C. S. M. J. Elvin bowled exceedingly well to take five wickets for only 18 runs. Scores:

United Services 1st. Innings—254.  
Volunteers—1st Innings

H. Owen Hughes, b Bonavia	31
E. C. Fletcher, c Clayton	31
R. H. Griffiths, b Garthwaite	65
E. J. R. Mitchell, b Garthwaite	0
I. S. Forbes, b Garthwaite	0
A. K. Mackenzie, l.b.w. b Garthwaite	7
G. A. Guterres, c Clayton, b Garthwaite	1
A. P. Pereira, b Garthwaite	6
J. E. Potter, b Elvin	5
W. K. Robinson, l.b.w. b Elvin	2
G. E. R. Divett, not out	22
Extras	22
Total	92

Fall of wickets.—1 for 12; 2 for 16; 3 for 25; 4 for 26; 5 for 33; 6 for 39; 7 for 51; 8 for 69; 9 for 71; 10 for 92.

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Garthwaite	11	4	24	6
Bonavia	3	—	5	1
Ballard	9	3	17	—
Elvin	5.4	2	10	3
Newsom	2	—	14	—

United Services—2nd Innings

Lt.-Col. Newsom, c Mitchell, b	25
Owen Hughes, c Mitchell, b	37
Pereira, b Garthwaite	12
Mid. David, not out	12
Extras	5

Total (for 2 wks. dec.)... 80  
Fall of wickets.—1 for 51; 2 for 80.

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
W. K. Robinson	3	—	31	—
H. Owen Hughes	5	—	26	—
A. P. Pereira	2.5	—	18	1

Volunteers—2nd Innings

E. C. Fletcher, b Garthwaite	31
E. J. R. Mitchell, c Clayton, b	0
Garthwaite	65
R. H. Griffiths, b Bonavia	65
H. Owen Hughes, c David, b	1
Elvin	4
I. S. Forbes, c Newsom, b Elvin	1
G. A. Guterres, c and b Ballard	15
A. P. Pereira, b Elvin	2
J. E. Potter, c Clayton, b Elvin	2
W. K. Robinson, l.b.w. b Elvin	1
E. Bevan, not out	8
Extras	8

Total... 133  
Fall of wickets.—1 for 8; 2 for 65; 3 for 81; 4 for 86; 5 for 111; 6 for 111; 7 for 119; 8 for 123; 9 for 133; 10 for 133.

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bonavia	8	—	35	1
Garthwaite	8	—	28	1
Ballard	12.4	3	56	2
Elvin	8	2	18	5
David	4	1	8	1



A. W. CARR

CARR MAY  
GO BACKJOINT CAPTAIN  
OF NOTTS

London, Jan. 24.

Will A. W. Carr—who was deposed from the captaincy of the Notts County cricket team on account of his attitude to "bodyline" bowling—be re-elected, to share the leadership? This is a suggestion now being discussed in a new effort to end the crisis in the club's affairs which has followed the members' "no-confidence" vote in the committee.

The proposal is that Carr should be nominated for membership of the new committee, and be appointed joint captain.

**TO PLEASE THE COUNTRIES**

It is urged that, if this were done, difficulties with counties which are opposed to the policy supported by Carr in the matter of fast bowling might be overcome.

Carr, it will be recalled, resigned from the Committee immediately after the withdrawal of Voce from the Notts-Australian match—the game which brought about the crisis caused by the Australian protests and the Notts Committee's apology for Voce's bowling.

Carr's deposition as captain preceded the "no-confidence" meeting.

## A DIFFICULTY SOLVED

A way out of the difficulty regarding the rule which prevents the election of anybody to the committee unless nominated by Dec. 1, has been found.

Another special meeting of members is to be held, at which an amendment will be made to the rule, and the annual meeting, at which the present committee's resignation becomes effective, will approve the amended rule and elect a new committee.

Yesterday's talks resulted in agreement on the nomination of Mr. H. S. Adams (who seconded the "No confidence" motion), Mr. Harry Woolley (who witnessed Voce's statement repudiating that he was unfit when he was withdrawn from the Notts-Australian match) and Sir Harold Bowden.

## "PERSECUTION"

INCOME TAX CHARGE  
AGAINST ANDREW MELLON

Pittsburgh, Feb. 19.

The hearing of the Government's claim against Andrew Mellon for \$6,000,000 arrears in income tax payments opened here today.

Mr. Mellon was described by his attorney as a kindly philanthropist and the victim of political persecution. His defence is that the Government has not taken his stock exchange losses into account in estimating his income.

Mr. Mellon listened intently to allegations that he skillfully and deliberately avoided tax payments.—*Reuter.*

HOCKEY  
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CAREER

The wedding of Miss Margaret Woolley, the interport hockey player and captain of the St. Andrew's Club Ladies team, and Mr. George A. White, a popular figure at the Kowloon Cricket Club, will take place at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon at 3.30 p.m. to-morrow.

Miss Woolley, who scored the only goal of the match to beat the Shanghai Ladies in the recent interport match for the White Challenge Shield, first played hockey in 1927, appearing at inside-left for the Kowloon Ladies Hockey Club. She remained with this team until 1930 when the St. Andrew's Club Ladies team was formed. She played in their first match in the Caer Clark Cup competition at centre-forward in which position she has remained ever since.

Miss Woolley has played for the Rest of the Caer Clark Cup League against the Champions every season since the inception of the tournament in 1929.

A very capable leader, Miss Woolley has scored 11 goals for the Saints in the Caer Clark Cup to date this season.

Three of Miss Woolley's sisters, Miss E. Woolley, Miss P. Woolley and Miss I. L. Woolley, the interport left full back, are also leading lights in local ladies' hockey.

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Mr. Li Shiu-pang	1	2	2
Choice	1	2	—
Lan	1	1	1
Mr. Leong Kwok-chong	1	1	1

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Mr. J. F. Macgregor	1	—	—
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W. Hall	5	4	5
D. S. Li	3	2	7

The F.A.  
Fine  
MillwallNOVEL POINT IN  
FOOTBALL LAW

London, Jan. 24.

The Football Association Emergency Committee will report to the F.A. Council next Monday that they have considered the report of the referees as to misconduct of spectators at the Millwall v. Luton match on Dec. 15, and

"having regard to previous cases of improper conduct at the ground," have decided that the Millwall club be fined £50.

This decision bears out a forecast made a week ago in the *Newspaper* to the effect that the Football Association would in future impose a new penalty on clubs whose grounds are reported for misconduct of spectators. The practice with few exceptions has been that of closing the ground for a certain period.

Other business at Monday's Council meeting includes the draw for the

## ARSENAL AND WALKER

The position as regards Tommy Walker, the Hearts of Midlothian forward, and the Arsenal (wires a well-informed Edinburgh Correspondent) is that the Arsenal want Walker and that the Hearts directors are agreeable to transfer the player if they get their terms.

fifth round of the Association Cup competition and a sub-committee will be appointed to consider the applications of Welsh clubs for next season's tourney.

## QUESTION AND ANSWER

The referees' committee will report to the Council that they have given a decision upon a novel point raised by the Durham F.A. The Association asked for a ruling on this question.

Just prior to the commencement of a game, when the teams are lining up for the kick-off, a player strikes an opponent. Should the player be sent off the field and another player allowed to take his place?

The Referees' Committee answered this question by referring to the Durham F.A. to Law 2 of the laws of the game, which provides that the game shall be commenced by a place-kick from the centre of the field. Until the game has commenced the referee has not the power to send a player off the field.

The Referees' Committee have decided to take no further action regarding their proposals that in the F.A. Cup Competition referees and linesmen should be watched by a member of the Committee and report to the F.A.

B. L. Tuo	2	4	—
H. C. Pih	2	2	1
C. Encarnacao	2	2	1
W. H. S. Davis	2	—	1
Y. T. Fung	2	—	—
T. S. Sun	1	3	4
T. P. K. Ho	1	—	3
G. Neugebauer	1	—	1
Norman Deltz	1	—	2
P. P. Botelho	1	—	2
A. J. P. Heard	1	—	1
E. O. Butler	1	—	1
Don Black	1	—	—
B. A. Proulx	1	—	—
R. H. Charles	1	—	—
Tamr Man-wa	1	—	—
G. W. Sewell	1	—	—
W. H. Choy	1	—	—
H. P. Chanvong	1	—	—
A. A. R. Botelho	1	—	—
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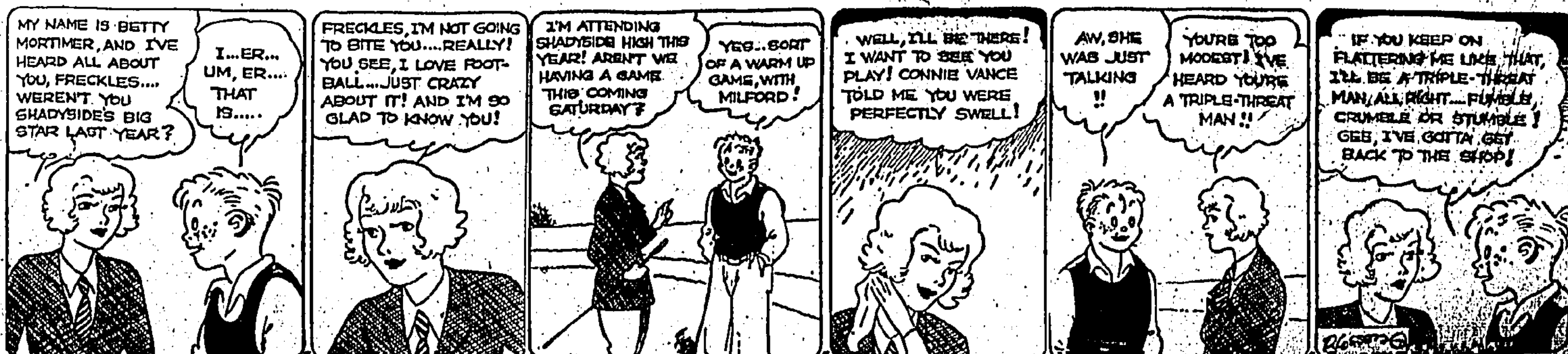
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## SERIAL STORY—

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## CHAPTER XLV

Detective Shannon came downstairs at midnight to find Peter Kendall waiting for him. Peter's hair was rumpled. His face showed strain and anxiety, but his eyes were eager. "I got the call you left," he said.

"I'm sorry you made the trip. I could have told you over the telephone."

"The light died in Peter's eyes. 'I thought you had news for me.' 'We have, Mr. Kendall. We know where your wife is. That is, where the neighbourhood she is living in.'"

"Then why can't you find her?"

"We expect to. The difficulty is, that the area is a nest of apartment buildings."

"Put every man you have on the job. Move heaven and earth. Detective Shannon told Peter what had happened. A girl had phoned for a cab in a hurry from a home at Ingleside. She had told the driver she lived on Roland street, but instead of going home had left the cab at a drug store.

"What about the home in Ingleside? What did you find out, there?"

Peter's voice was hoarse with anxiety.

"We found that a man, his sister and two children live there. The neighbours state the entire family is spending the holidays out of town. The place was closed tight as wax. We're investigating the possibility that the driver went to another house. The houses in the section are similar. We'll make inquiries at this place as soon as the family returns. Meanwhile, we expect to find her."

"You're sure she is my wife?"

"The driver is positive she is the same girl he drove away from your apartment that morning. He identified the picture of her. It was just a coincidence, Mr. Kendall, that this driver was sent to answer her call to-night."

"We'll work as fast as we can. It may be only a few days before we find her."

Peter drove home. The thought of Ann telephoning from somewhere in a fearful hurry worried him. She must have been in trouble of some kind. She was so little and helpless to be alone. She needed to be protected.

He would see Sarah to-morrow. Perhaps Ann had communicated with her. He would make Sarah see that she must tell him if she had had news, whatever it might be.

Sarah telephoned Mac next day to say, "I can't meet you for lunch today. I'm having a car with Peter Kendall instead of steak and onions with you."

"Two-timing me already?" Mac's voice came serious. "He probably

thinks you are holding out on him about Ann."

"Poor fellow," Sarah said. "He must be in love with her. 'I know that all along,' Mac said."

Sarah told Mac that night that Peter Kendall was "really pathetic." "Some detective who has been working on the case has an idea he's found her. It's probably just another false clue."

"Peter's all broken up," Sarah went on thoughtfully. "He's so thin and worn. It breaks my heart. I told him I was pretty sure Valeria Bennett is at the bottom of the whole business. I told him about the day I was having lunch with Ann, and how Valeria went out of her way to tell Ann that Peter was decorating her home."

"How did he take that?"

"He was terribly angry with Valeria. I think I asked him if he could think of anything he had done that Ann might have misunderstood. He couldn't think of a thing. Somebody's at the door. 'Nobody at all,' as Tony said. 'Mac said, 'No body at all, as Tony said. 'Tony did not respond to Mac's railway. He sank into a chair. 'I thought maybe you had a drink here.'"

"Hadin't you better stay on the wagon until Saturday and get that rush job out you were telling me that?"

"This isn't the beginning of a bender, you fool," Tony said irritably. "I need a drink. This thing of Ann being swallowed up so many months has gotten on my nerves."

"Well, girls have hidden out in large cities before. I guess if Ann wanted to she could," Sarah said. "What's your specific worry, Tony? Have you heard anything?"

"Happened to be down at the police department this afternoon. A boy I know had been pulled in on a reckless driving charge. While I was there two policemen came in, talking about a girl."

"A girl?" Mac queried, and waited.

"A girl they pulled out of the river," Tony said soberly. "They didn't know who she was."

"That's foolish," Sarah said sharply, looking at Mac for reassurance. "Sarah's eyes reflected the fear in Tony's. She began sitting bits into Tony's grim picture."

"What do police say about her?" Mac asked quietly.

"She's about Ann's size and her hair is red."

Sarah shivered. Mac came over, put his arms about her and held her close against him. "A sensible person does his worrying afterward," Mac said.

"Sure, I know," Tony said. "I'm just an imaginative nut."

"Mac and I'll go with you," Sarah said.

"There are some things I couldn't face," Tony said. "Sarah, pour me out a small drink, will you?"

A few minutes later they crowded into Tony's car. "Oh, don't let it be Ann!" Sarah was praying. Over and over again. "Don't let it be Ann!"

She was thinking of the look in Peter Kendall's eyes when she said, "No, I haven't heard a word from Ann. No one has."

They reached the hospital and were moving along the quiet corridor. The odour of ether was stinging Sarah's throat, making her feel ill.

A girl at the desk directed them to the fourth floor. Another girl there gave them a room number.

"Steady now, Sarah," said Mac, as they stepped inside the room.

A nurse moved aside and Sarah caught a glimpse of bright hair, smoothed back from a pale brow. The girl's face was turned toward the window.

Sarah went nearer, with the dreadful feeling of something clutching at her throat. It was like moving in some horrible nightmare. And then she was staring down at the small, white face. The girl whose eyes were closed was not Ann.

Sarah met Tony's eyes and shook her head. No words came.

The nurse followed them from the room. "She'll pull through if she makes a good fight. The trouble is, she doesn't seem interested in living. She had been out of work for months and was almost starved. We haven't found out her name yet."

Because she knew Peter would be reading in the morning about the girl with red hair who had leaped into the river, Sarah telephoned him when she reached home.

"You thought she was Ann!" Peter cried.

"We were afraid she might be. I didn't want you to think that, even for a moment."

"It was good of you to call," Peter said. His voice was still agitated.

The next day Sarah inquired at the hospital about the sick girl. "She's getting along fine," the nurse said. "Mr. Kendall heard of the case and ordered one of the best rooms for her. He's going to see that she gets a good job when she leaves here."

Sarah put down the telephone and burst into tears. Blessed Peter! Kendall! Oh, how could Ann have left anyone who loved her like that?

(To Be Continued).

## CHARITABLE WORK

## BENEVOLENT SOCIETY'S ANNUAL REPORT

The forty-fifth annual report of the Hongkong Benevolent Society, which has just been issued, shows a record of much good work during the year 1934. It is stated that the period has been one of the most difficult years the Society has ever known, the funds having been barely sufficient to meet the really appalling number of demands for help. The Society thus has not been able to give quite as much help as it would have liked.

Figures of expenditure show that in relief alone the total has risen from \$5,820.75 in 1932 to \$7,014.52 in 1933, and then to \$7,547.52 last year. Less, however, was spent on passages, the total in 1934 being \$814.91. Education (\$3,463.41) was still one of the bigger items.

## Increase in Need

The report states: "A steady increase in the amount required for relief will be noted. This includes the regular monthly allowances and the occasional relief given at our room in Wanchai."

It will be observed that the amount spent on passages and landing money in 1933 greatly exceeds that spent either in 1932 or in 1934. In 1933, as local employment became harder to find, we were forced to send people back to their own countries, and the expenditure accordingly increased. In 1934 the number of applicants for passages was even greater, but we were compelled to limit our expenditure in that direction as the requests for immediate relief in the matter of education, rent, and food became more and more insistent. However, the Government, St. Andrew's Society, and St. George's Society have generously supplied the funds for passages of special cases brought to their notice, and we are most grateful to them for their assistance.

Our expenditure on education has again increased. The Society now contributes to the education expenses of 23 children. We gratefully acknowledge the concessions which the Directors of the following schools have allowed us in the matter of fees—Diocesan Boys' School, Diocesan Girls' School, St. Joseph's College, Convent School, St. Louis College, St. Mary's

## CORRESPONDENCE

## The Balinese Dancers

The Editor, Hongkong Telegraph

Sir,—Referring to the advertisement appearing in to-day's issue of your esteemed paper, I wish to particularly call the attention of the public of Hongkong to the Balinese dancers who, headed by Ratu Ida and Dewi Ratna, open a short season at the Queen's Theatre on Wednesday, March 6, under the management of Mr. L. van Sant.

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Straits papers as well as Java papers have been most eulogistic about these wonderful performances and I would recommend those in Hongkong who are artistically inclined and desire to acquaint themselves with a form of culture of another country to attend a performance. I can assure everybody that they will not be disappointed.

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## Many New Cases

Eighty-four new cases came to us during the year, as against sixty-two the previous year, and this in spite of the fact that since March, 1934, when the Mercantile Marine Assistance Fund came into being, we no longer help seamen.

It may not be generally known that we maintain a room where homeless and destitute people can be boarded at the Society's expense. Formerly this room would remain empty for considerable periods, but during the whole of last year it has been untenanted only for a few weeks.

We would like to convey our appreciation and thanks to all those who have honoured the Society by

## FORTHCOMING EVENT

## CONCERT ARRANGED IN AID OF SEA SCOUTS

With the object of raising funds for the Troop and increasing the popularity of the Sea Scouts as a vehicle for the instruction and amusement of our youth, a concert has been arranged and will take place on Saturday, February 23, at the Seamen's Institute, the Headquarters of the Troop, commencing at 8.30 p.m. sharp.

In addition to several items by the Scouts themselves, many well known local artists are giving their assistance. Bruce Wilson, Messrs W. J. T. Phelps, W. H. Billing and L. W. Peckham are contributing vocal items, and Miss I. Phelps and Mr. N. Moran will play on the piano and violin respectively, while Mr. G. H. Ash, an increasingly popular humorist, will also appear. The second appearance of the Girls' Glee Party, and of Mr. G. Evans' Male Voice Party, are attractive items. Miss I. Phelps, Mr. G. Dudley Bartlett and Mr. G. Evans will be the accompanists, and an excellent programme is assured.

The Sea Scouts are at present few in numbers, but enthusiastic in spirit, and Mr. M. W. Scott, Scout Master, who is arranging this concert, hopes soon to enrol additional members from the youth of all nationalities in the Colony.

For this purpose funds are badly needed, and all who are interested in the movement, and the Boy Scouts' movement generally, are urged to support the concert.

In Memoriam donations, and all those who from time to time have sent us gifts of clothing.

We are deeply grateful to the following for their invaluable assistance to the Hongkong Government, to various Clubs and Associations for their generous grants, to the Police for their willing co-operation and advice, to other charitable organizations for their collaboration with us in many of our cases, to Mr. Hampden Ross for so kindly auditing the accounts, and to the Press for the privileges they have allowed us.

A list of the many nationalities benefited, and some typical cases which have obtained assistance, are included in the statement.

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## CINEMA NEWS

## NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

John Barrymore, who will appear to-morrow at the King's Theatre, in the hilarious film comedy, "20th Century," invented a new gadget on his recent fishing trip in Mexican waters, an underwater light for still fishing. A thin glass tube, painted on the inside with radium paint so that the light radiated in all directions, was fastened to a fishing hook on a line above the baited hook.

"Have A Heart"

A new star has skyrocketed into the Hollywood heavens, and in the vivid brilliance of her performance, Jean Parker gives the highest acclaim lavished with her first starring vehicle, "Have A Heart," new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production opening its local engagement to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre. No wonder studio executives decided to give her an acting rating with "Grade A" and Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford, Helen Hayes and other distinguished stars. She proves herself capable of the most difficult emotional roles. As "Sally," a young dancer, who is made a cripple through a tragic accident, Miss Parker stirred the first night audience with her depth of feeling and sensitive expression. The story of her romance with James Dunn playing Jimmie Flaherty, employee of an ice cream company whose heart is as warm as its product is cold, is a blend of wholesome simplicity packed with pathos and comedy. Dunn contributes one of his most outstanding performances in his screen career and is an ideal romantic partner for Miss Parker. Hilarious comedy relief is supplied by Una Merkel and Stuart Erwin, who are again teamed in antics that will win bursts of laughter from the audience. Muriel Evans scores in a small role as Helen, the vamping secretary.

## "One Night of Love"

To-day is your final chance to see that glamorous love story of an operatic singer, glorious Grace Moore, and a great screen lover, Tullio Carminati, in Columbia's "One Night of Love," drawing big houses at the Queen's Theatre. Foreign, exotic atmosphere; sparkling comedy, and thrilling music have made this picture an outstanding hit and the cast, assembled for this delightful entertainment includes: Lyle Talbot, Mona Barrie, Jessie Ralph and Luis Alberni. Directed by Victor Schertzinger, "One Night of Love" was prepared for the screen by S. K. Lauren, James Cagney and Dorothy Gurnea. The climactic scene where Miss Moore stands on the stage of the Metropolitan to sing an enchanting aria is one of subtle sensuality that marks the highlight in the history of the cinema.

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## ARAB ASSISTANCE

## TO SERVE ITALIANS IN SOMALILAND

Aden, Feb. 19. Three hundred Yemen Arabs were taken aboard the Italian steamer Giuseppe Mazzini to-night for service in Italian Somaliland.—Reuter.







# QUILL'S

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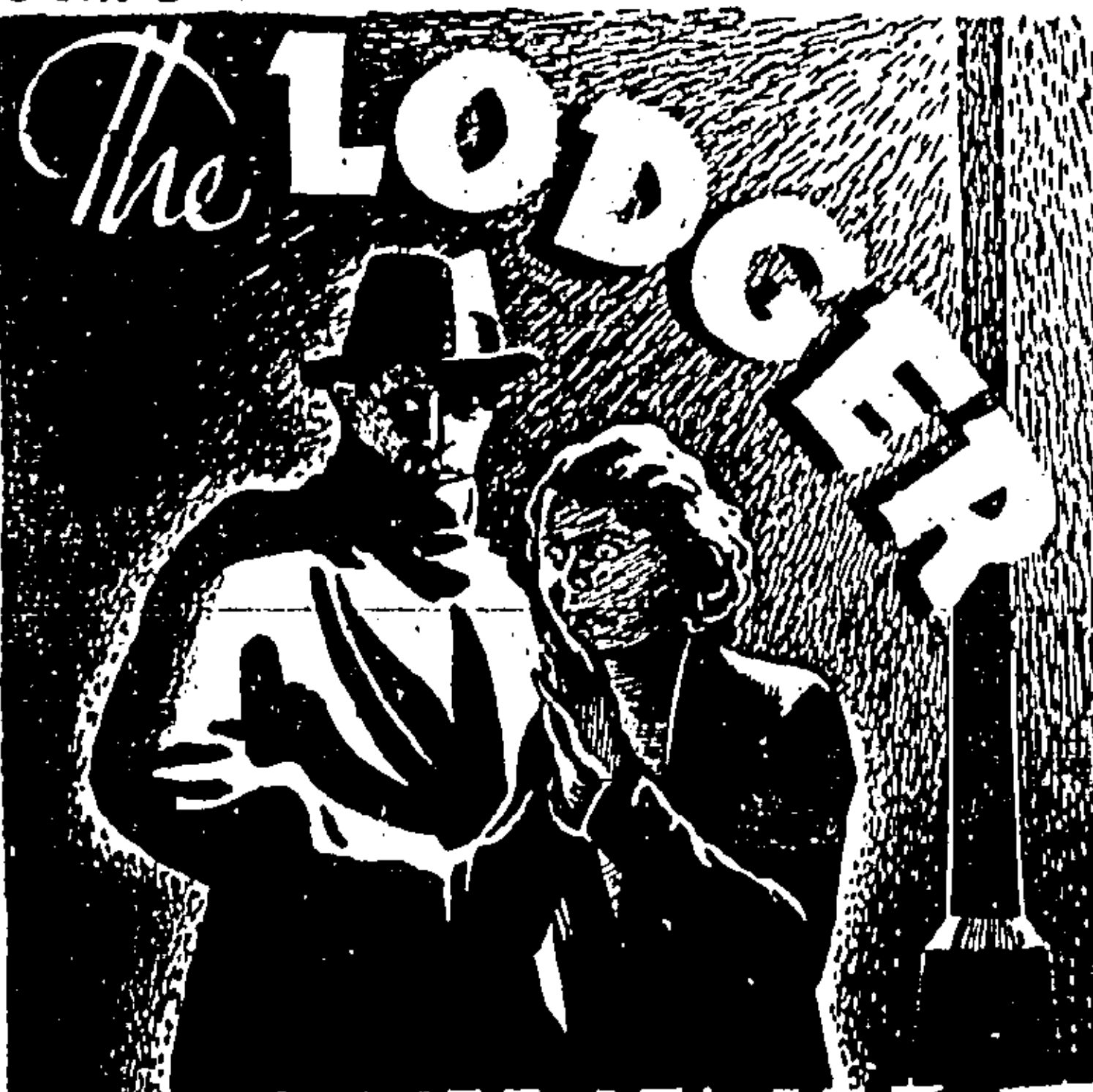
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### MISSIONARY'S WORK

#### DR. RICHELTE'S VIEWS ON THE CHINA FIELD

Speaking of trends in China's non-Christian religions at a meeting at the Cathedral Hall, yesterday, Dr. Richelt said that in China there were many worldly and irreligious people who had joined associations in connection with non-Christian religious movements, only to consolidate their position in society, to get a backing in their struggle for prestige, or to have a decent place where they might pass their leisure time comfortably and quietly. All this granted it must, however, be said that a fairly high percentage of earnest religious truth seekers were to be found in these new societies. "Personally," said the speaker, "I feel it to be one of the most tragic and painful facts in connection with the missionary work in this vast land of our adoption, that we have not succeeded better in the great task of getting the real religious and prepared people linked up with the Church. I know that many missionaries, who are living with open windows, feel the same way. It is my earnest prayer that our deliberations in connection with this subject may help to start a movement for a closer, more sympathetic and more intelligent approach to the religious people of other folds. The time for making this approach is most opportune. As all of you know, China is sharing in the general depression and misery which is, at this time, besetting humanity. We all know something about the special difficulties and perplexities which China is in addition facing during this time of transformation; difficulties so appalling and tribulations so tremendous that it is a wonder that the Chinese people have been able to pull through as well as they have. "Under such circumstances religion naturally gains remarkable impetus. This is the case in China at present. In spite of all the communistic and anti-religious movements which are going on, nourished by atheistic magazines and inspired by a fraction of the returned students and God-forsaken westerners, the religious

### MANUFACTURES

#### LATEST RETURNS SHOW IMPROVEMENT

London, Feb. 19. The total value of exports of British manufactured goods has risen from \$282,000,000 in 1933 to \$305,000,000 in 1934. Tonnage of iron and steel goods exported has increased by 17 per cent. Railway materials prices showed a very marked improvement, and exports of machinery were 21 per cent. greater in tonnage. Equally striking is the increase in the number of motor cars and chassis exported, which was 19 per cent. higher than the highest figure previously recorded.—British Wireless.

life is on the increase in China; and the number of new religious societies and reformative movements in connection with the old religions are growing from day to day.

#### Principles and Methods

Referring to the principles and methods which Christian missionaries ought to follow in their intercourse with the religious movements and associations they meet to-day, Dr. Richelt said: "We must avoid all false compromises, which tend to obscure and tone down the Christian message and lead the people into the wilderness of syncretism. The Christian message must be given in its uniqueness and original freshness, as it was given during apostolic times, when it brought about the transformation of the nations of Rome, heavily laden with all kinds of philosophical and metaphysical systems, but awfully lacking in genuine theocentric dynamic. At the same time we should lay the greatest stress upon the example given us by St. Paul, by finding all the good points of contact in the holy books, the ritual and the whole working of the other religions."

The speaker then went on to deal with the various religious associations that at the present time were playing an active part in the religious life of China. Dr. Richelt will deliver his second lecture on the same subject on February 26.

### MARKET REVIEW

#### FOREIGN EXCHANGE VOLTE FACE

London, Feb. 19. The Gold Clause decision is expected to lead to a change of front on the foreign exchange market. Hitherto, the continent has been selling francs and buying dollars, and to a lesser degree sterling, in expectation that the decision would be adverse to the government.

Operators are now rushing to cover, and consequently the franc has improved in terms of the dollar.

Those well informed expect this tendency to continue for some time, with the price of gold steadily rising, which accounts for excited dealings in gold shares.

Regarding commodities, the decision will not increase the export of American cotton by a single bale; neither will it clear up the pepper and shellac crisis, nor solve the Dutch East Indies native rubber problem.

Conversely, it will not mitigate the dryness of the western wheat belt, nor add a pound to the scanty supplies of cattle feed and meat in the United States, but in the present temper of the markets, speculation is awakening out of its winter hibernation.

It will concentrate on bullish rather than bearish implications and factors such as the foregoing, which explains the sharp rise today in commodities.—Reuter.

### NEW LIFE MOVEMENT

#### THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

Shanghai, Feb. 19. A large group of representatives of various public organisations attended a meeting at the Central Kuomintang headquarters this morning to commemorate the first anniversary of the New Life movement.

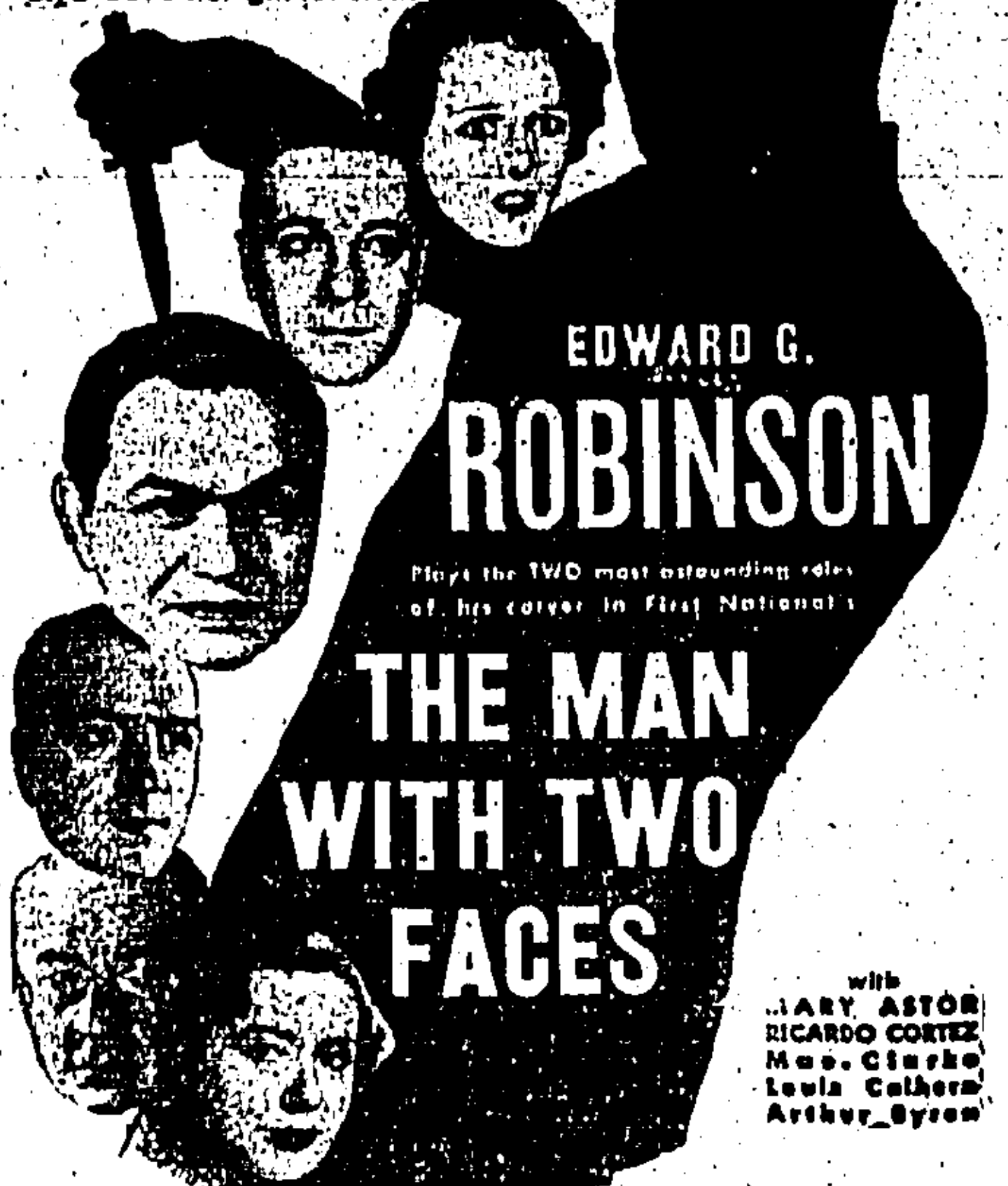
Discipline and simple life was stressed by Mr. Shao Yuan-chung, head of the Kuomintang Propaganda Committee, who addressed the assembly.—Reuter.

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### A SUNDAY BRIDE

MISS EMILIA CARVALHO WEDS NIL JOE DA SUZ

The wedding took place at the Rosary Church last Sunday afternoon of Miss Emilia Maria Carvalho, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Carvalho, and Mr. Joe A. da Luz of the Netherlands Trading Society, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. E. da Luz.

The bride who entered the church on the arm of her brother, Mr. A. A. Botelho, wore a white crepe satin gown fashioned on princess lines by Madam S. Leite. Her long embroidered veil fell from a lace cap encircled with orange-blossoms and her bouquet was composed of white gladioli.

Miss Margaret Botelho, a niece of the bride, was daintily attired in a creation of pink georgette, with double gauntlet gloves and ermine hat of a matching tone.

#### Flower Girl in Pink

The flower girl was Miss Lourdes da Rosa in a toned pink tulle dress, who carried a basket of pink sweet peas. Little Master Armando da Luz, the page boy, wore a black velvet suit with white satin blouse.

Mr. F. J. da Luz, an elder brother of the groom, was the best man. He was supported by Mr. C. I. da Rosa (brother-in-law of the bride).

After the ceremony, a reception was held at 6 Jordan Road, the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. M. da Silva, where a three-tier

### BUILDING TRADE

RECENT DEVELOPMENT IN GREAT BRITAIN

London, Feb. 19. Recent development in the building trade is reflected in the latest Labour Ministry return, which shows that the estimated cost of buildings, for which plans were passed by local authorities of 146 principal British towns in 1934, was £93,593,000, against £83,682,100 in 1933.—British Wireless.

### TRAGIC AVALANCHE

WOMAN FILM PRODUCER AND GUIDE KILLED

St. Moritz, Feb. 19. The members of a Swiss Film Company, who were photographing scenes in the Roseg Valley, were caught by an avalanche this afternoon. Madame Karin, the well known Swiss film producer, and a guide were killed.—Reuter.

wedding cake stood on a table embedded in white tulle through which were scattered daisies and ferns. A host of friends attended the reception to congratulate the happy couple, who were the recipients of many gifts.

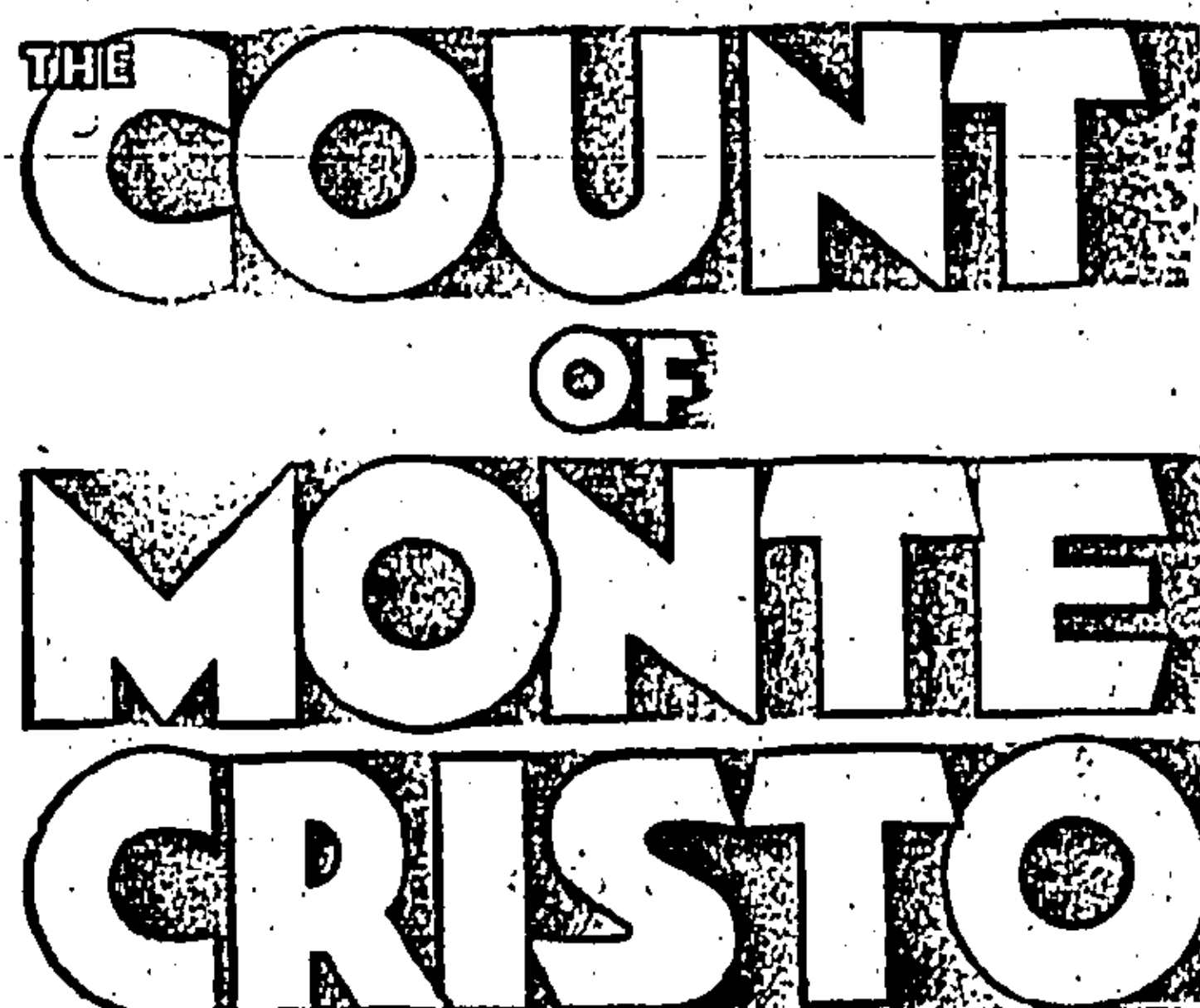
For travelling, the bride chose a smart green French crepe for her dress and a long green coat with fur collar, and black felt hat, shoes, hand bag and gloves to match.

The honeymoon will be spent in Canton and Macao.

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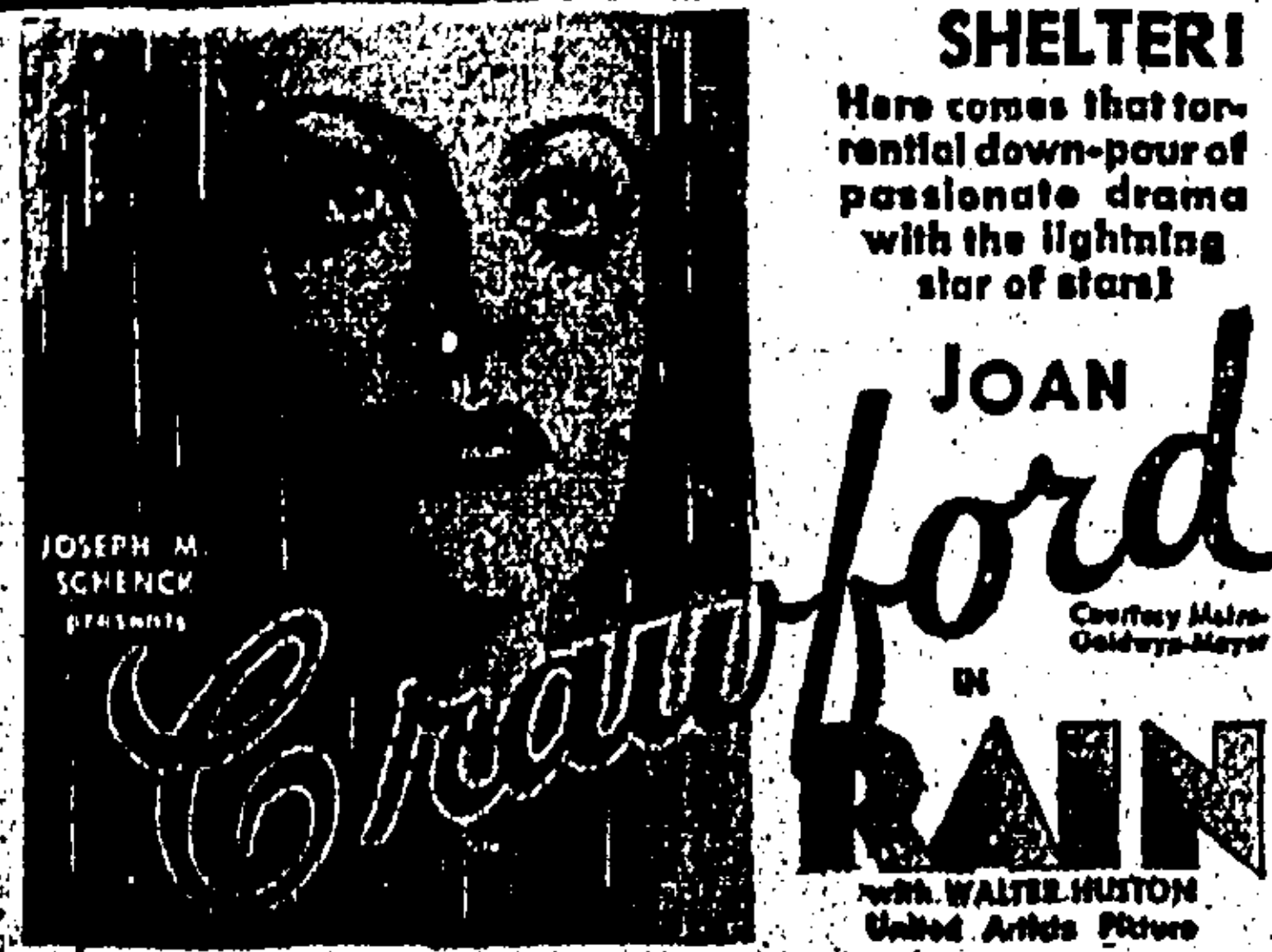
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# MORE MILLIONS FOR U.S. ARMY

## MONEY VOTED FOR NEW PLANES

### HUGE CONSTRUCTION PLAN ADVOCATED

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Washington, Feb. 19.

Following a visit to the White House, Representative John J. McSwain, Democrat advocate of a powerful American Air Force, to-day recommended a five-year aircraft construction programme which would provide 4,000 new machines for the United States Army Air Corps and 2,200 for the Navy, says the *United Press*.

Meanwhile, the largest expenditure upon the United States Army for fifteen years is provided for in the estimates to-day approved by the House of Representatives Appropriations Committee, *Reuter* reports.

In addition to the immense expenditure on army equipment, and so on, provision is made for building 647 new military aeroplanes of the very fastest and most deadly fighting class which America can produce.

A total of \$318,000,000, or more than \$60,000,000, is allocated for the Army's fiscal year, ending June 30, 1936. The increase in proposed expenditure is \$48,000,000 as compared with the estimates for the present year, now drawing to a close.

The Appropriations Committee stated that it would be willing to provide additional funds for the Army if President Roosevelt took advantage of his prerogative and increased the Army's strength from 118,000 to 165,000 regulars.

**AIR ESTIMATES**

A total of \$45,000,000 was approved for U. S. Air Force expenditure. This compares with the past year's total of \$20,000,000.

The fleet of 547 fighting planes of various classifications will cost the Government \$7,686,000, and will thus provide the nation with a fighting air force of 1,445 machines. — *Reuter*.

**JAPAN AIR FORCE PLANS**

Tokyo, Feb. 18.

More than ¥250,000,000 will be spent in the next two years by the Japanese Army in building up its air force and the expansion of defence units, it was officially announced here to-day.

The expansion programme will be conducted in the two-year period of the fiscal years, 1935-1936.

Personnel of the Army, principally in the Air Corps, will be increased, it was stated. Improvements on military establishments will be principally in defensive areas like Tokyo, Nagoya, Osaka and various Kyushu areas.

It also was announced that new aviation schools will be established, affording instruction both in flying and along mechanical lines. The programme is expected to get under way early in the fiscal year of 1936. — *United Press*.

**COMPROMISE ON BONUS**

**BONDS FOR U.S. VETERANS**

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, Feb. 19.

Senator Tydings to-day introduced a resolution providing for the payment of \$2,800,000,000 of bonuses to ex-soldiers in United States bonds.

The measure is an attempt to compromise between the Administration and the bonus leaders, and would not increase the ultimate obligations of the Government providing the bond issue was negotiable at 3 per cent. interest, and exchangeable for outstanding adjusted service certificates, now scheduled for payment in 1945. — *United Press*.

# LUCKY SWEEP TICKETS

## WINNING NUMBERS AT RACES

The following are the winning numbers in to-day's cash sweeps up to press time:

**Race No. 1.**

No. 507	\$683.00
" 244	105.40
" 636	97.40

Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. 171, 983, 867, 165, 171, 670, 1873, 1127, 1622, 809, 618, 1772, 278, 1101, 1419, 1633, 1310, 776, 1867, 661.

**Race No. 2.**

No. 837	\$802.20
" 765	229.20
" 949	114.60

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 1678, 86, 566, 1010, 1828, 318, 1215, 239, 493.

**Race No. 3.**

No. 770	\$1,162.00
" 542	332.00
" 1694	166.00

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): No. 2036.

# Lord Byng's Illness

## HEART ATTACK ON HOLIDAY

### OVERTAXED STRENGTH

(Special to "Telegraph")

Pasadena, Feb. 19.

Field-Marshal Baron Byng of Vimy, former Governor-General of Canada and one of the most distinguished of the Allies' generals during the Great War, has suffered a heart attack while on a visit here.

Baron Byng is 72 years of age and suffered his seizure some days ago. News of the state of his health was suppressed, however, and it was only divulged to-day, ten days after his attack, that he is slightly improved in health.

It is feared that the entertainments lavished upon him by cinema magnates in Los Angeles and Hollywood, during his stay there, over-taxed the strength of the veteran soldier. — *Reuter Special*.

# LADIES' DAY AT TRACK

## MRS. PEARCE'S WINNER

### EARLY RACE RESULTS

Fine, warm weather marked the opening of the fourth day of the Race Meeting at Happy Valley. Chief interest centres to-day in the Champios. There was quite a good attendance early on, many ladies coming out in their Spring finery to witness the race for the Ladies' Purse.

There were twenty-three starters in the Leighton Hill Stakes, which resulted in a win for Mrs. Pearce's Wadbridge, who beat Emergency Call by a length, with Tin Ho half a length behind in third place.

There was a fine finish in the race for the Grand Stand Stakes, which brought out eleven starters. Mr. Frost, riding Pontiac Bay, brought his mount in a head in front of Ythan, with Flirt only a short head away in third place.

Soldier of Britain won the Ladies' Purse, beating Cossack's Beauty by five lengths. Trentbridge was third, another five lengths away. The winner's time was a record for the distance.

In this race Chateau Bay, ridden by Mr. H. P. Channon, threw his jockey near the Naval Pavilion. The rider was not injured.

1.—The Leighton Hill Stakes.—Winner \$900. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, Subscription Grifflins of this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners, non-winners, allowed 10 lb. Jockey allowance. Allowances accumulative. Six furlongs.

Mrs. Pearce's Wadbridge (161) (Mr. F. Marshall) ... 1  
Dr. Lee Shiu-kee's Emergency Call (158) (Mr. E. Marshall) ... 2  
Mr. C. S. Wong's Tin Ho (161) (Mr. H. C. Pih) ... 3

Twenty-three starters.  
Won by a length; half a length.  
Time: 1 min. 32.3/5 secs.  
Parl-mutuel: — Win \$20.90; Places \$8.50; \$7.50; \$13.80.

2.—The Grand Stand Stakes.—Winner \$600. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, Subscription Grifflins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Grifflins, winners of one race, 7 lb. penalty; of two or more races, barred. Subscription Grifflins of this Club of this Meeting: winners, non-winners, allowed 10 lb. Jockey allowance. Allowances accumulative. Six furlongs.

Mr. L. Dunbar's Pontiac Bay (163) (Mr. L. G. Frost) ... 1  
Messrs. Mackie & Grayburn's Ythan (158) (Mr. T. P. Botelho) ... 2  
Mr. C. B. Brown's Flirt (168) (Mr. Neugebauer) ... 3

Eleven starters.  
Won by a head; short head.  
Time: 1 min. 30 secs.  
Parl-mutuel: — Win \$21.20; Places \$10.60; \$17.80; \$24.90.

3.—The Ladies' Purse.—Presented with \$500 added for Winner. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners at this Meeting other than Subscription Grifflins of this Club 7 lb. penalty. Jockey allowance. One round (about 7 furlongs 40 yards).

Mr. Li Shiu-pang's Soldier of Britain (168) (Mr. S. Y. Sun) ... 1  
Mr. Lan's Cossack's Beauty (168) (Mr. H. C. Pih) ... 2  
Mrs. Pearce's Trentbridge (163) (Mr. F. Marshall) ... 3

Four starters.  
Won by five lengths; five lengths.  
Time: 1 min. 44.4/5 secs. (record).  
Parl-mutuel: — Win \$15.30; Places \$10.10; \$12.80.



Baron Byng of Vimy, who is seriously ill in California.

# Liberty Bay Must Win Again To-day

## ABLE AMAZON LIKELY PONY

### CHETAH LOOKS WELL

BY CAPT. FOSTER

It would seem that Liberty Bay must win the Champios Stakes to-day, and I also expect to see Able Amazon and The Chetah among the "first home" ponies in other events.

My selections follow.

**RACE 4**  
Able Amazon  
Racing Heart  
Saucy Face

**RACE 5**  
Mr. Taylor's Mount  
Bay View  
Prima Donna

**RACE 6**  
Shooting Star  
Mount Pilatus  
Snow River

**RACE 7**  
View's Selected  
Mistake Bay  
Gold Coin

**RACE 8**  
Liberty Bay  
Mr. Marshall's Mount  
Sadko

# RACING EXTRA

The Hongkong Telegraph final edition will contain further race results, including the champions, with cash sweep winners' numbers.

**RACE 9**  
The Chetah  
Wadbridge  
The Deemster

**RACE 10**  
Popular Star  
Soldier of Peace  
Trowbridge

**RACE 11**  
Seventeenth of September  
Lucky Strike  
Belmont Star

**RACE 12**  
Marshall's Mount  
Hetman  
Oak Bay

# DR. SCHUSCHNIGG VISITING LONDON

London, Feb. 19.

Dr. Schuschnigg, Austrian Chancellor, and Herr Waldenegg, Austrian Foreign Minister, who are paying an unofficial visit to London, next week, will arrive on Sunday afternoon.

They will be entertained at luncheon by the Prime Minister at 10, Downing Street on Monday, and a dinner will be given at the Austrian Legation in the evening. Sir John Simon will entertain the visitors at luncheon on Tuesday. — *British Wireless*.

# ADMIRAL'S COURT-MARTIAL

## TOGETHER WITH TWO CAPTAINS

### SEQUEL TO COLLISION

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, Feb. 19.

A sequel to the collision between the giants of the British Navy, H.M.S. Hood and H.M.S. Renown, was seen in Portsmouth to-day when three high officers of the Royal Navy faced a court-martial.

H.M.S. Renown had only recently arrived here for repairs.

The officers involved are Rear-Admiral S. R. Bailey, Captain F. T. B. Tower of H.M.S. Hood and Captain H. R. Sawbridge of H.M.S. Renown.

There have only been four previous cases where an admiral of the British Navy has been court-martialled since 1856 and in every one of them the officer was acquitted. — *Reuter Special*.

H.M.S. Hood and H.M.S. Renown collided during manoeuvres some time ago, and although their impact was not heavy there was considerable damage done. One of the ships suffered a broken stem. There were no casualties, and the vessels proceeded to port unassisted.

# India Bill Debate

## LONG AND ARDUOUS TASK BEGUN

### CHOOSING VICEROY

London, Feb. 19.

The House of Commons to-day began the long and arduous task of dealing with the Government of India Bill in its Committee stage.

The measure contains four hundred and fifty-one clauses and fifteen schedules, and in view of its magnitude all sections and parties in the House have agreed to the allocation of thirty days to be devoted to it.

Twenty-six days will be devoted to various parts of the Bill in the order of their importance and the remaining four days will be held in reserve to provide more time for discussion of provisions which prove especially intricate or produce constructive criticisms. In the first six days Part One of the measure, and in which the position of the Governor General is defined, will be under debate.

Sir Robert Horne this afternoon moved an amendment, the effect of which was that the Viceroy should be appointed only after there had been consultation with the living ex-Viceroy who were also members of the Privy Council. He emphasized the vital importance of the post and of having the right man to fill it. The Viceroy, he said, would be the keystone of all this mighty fabric and there was no office in the world to which the choice of the right man was more important.

Sir Samuel Hoare, who agreed that the post was one of vital importance, said while he was anxious to keep the appointment as far as possible out of the ordinary rut of party politics there were grave objections to introducing quite new procedure into the Constitution and taking the appointment altogether out of the control of Parliament. The Government would not accept the amendment in that form but he would welcome the opportunity of considering the views of members from all parts of the House on the subject. After further discussion Sir Robert Horne withdrew his amendment. — *British Wireless*.

# U.S. BOND CASE NOT CLOSED

## FOREIGN HOLDERS MAY YET SUE

### GLOOMY PREDICTION OF ECONOMIST

New York, Feb. 19.

The possibility that the last has not been heard of the Gold Clause problem was suggested by Professor Cyril James, economist of Pennsylvania University to-day, who is quoted as saying:

"The decisions of the United States Supreme Court do not preclude foreign Governments holding United States bonds from suing to recover \$169 for every \$100 American bond containing the gold clause."

He contends that private holders might take advantage of this opportunity and consign their holdings to foreign Governments.

# JAPAN'S PEACE PROMISE

## REASSURING PROSPECT

### NO FURTHER INCURSION

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Feb. 19.

It was learned here to-day that some lawyers foresee the possibility of the small group of Americans residing in foreign countries and who bought United States Government Bonds before devaluation of the dollar, or who bought the Bonds in the United States and then moved abroad, being able to collect damages under the Liberty Bond decision.

This possibility is presented because the purchasing power of the dollar has been drastically reduced abroad, compared with only a slight domestic change.

However, the amount of their holdings is apparently so small that members of the Treasury are showing little concern over such an eventuality.

Foreigners, however, will have no chance to recover damages, due to the fact that United States Government Securities are offered for domestic purchase, and therefore foreigners are subject to the same risks as Americans. — *United Press*.

# PREVENTING ACTION

Washington, Feb. 19.

After a conference at the White House to-day, Mr. Homer Cummings, the U.S. Attorney General, intimated that the Government may seek legislation to clinch the gold case victory.

Such legislation is reported as being still in the stages of discussion, but it is believed that it would be designed to prevent any further suits against the Government. — *United Press*.

# BRITISH TROOPS IN RHEIMS

## FETED BY POPULACE ON WAY HOME

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Saarbrücken, Feb. 19.

The British troops which have been polling in the Saar since before the plebiscite of January 13 are now returning home.

One detachment is proceeding via Rheims to the port of embarkation. It is being entertained in the famous Cathedral city by civic and military authorities to-night. The troops will visit the old battlefields and will dine at the Town Hall to-morrow. — *Reuter Special*.

# BIG SILVER PURCHASE

## CHINA BUYING IN LONDON

Shanghai, Feb. 19.

It was learned here to-day that the Exchange Stabilization Committee has purchased three million Chinese silver dollars in London.

The shipment is expected to arrive in Shanghai on March 15. It is also reported that the Committee is at present negotiating for the purchase of an additional ten million. — *United Press*.

# CHINESE GIVE RECEPTION

## INSTITUTE MARKS ANNIVERSARY

London, Feb. 19.

The Chinese Institute is celebrating its second anniversary with a reception at which Mr. Quo Tai-chi and Rev. J. Scott-Liddell, chairman of the Universities Chinese Committee, will be the speakers.

Membership of the Institute is now about 280 and the organization requires larger premises urgently. — *Reuter*.



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## Philippines' Democracy

EVOLVED OUT OF MAGNA CARTA  
AMERICAN INFLUENCE

BY REUEL S. MOORE  
UNITED PRESS STAFF  
CORRESPONDENT

Manila, Feb. 10.

The new Philippine constitution, written by a popular convention after six months of deliberation, indicated that three and one-half decades of American influence had served to implant thoroughly in the Filipino people the ideals of democracy and individual freedom evolved in the United States as an inheritance from old Magna Carta. Significant also of the long-contact of the Philippines with the Occident world was the fact that the convention invoked the "aid of Divine providence" in the preamble of constitution of the only Christian nation in the Far East. Christianity was brought here by the Spaniards four centuries ago.

Although different in composition, and considerably more detailed in its assignment of various powers and functions, the Philippine constitution nevertheless is strikingly similar to that of the United States. It establishes a republican form of government and recites a bill of rights approximating the declaration of civil liberties set forth in the United States constitution.

It sets up three branches of government: the legislative, executive, and judicial, with functions similar to those of the corresponding branches in the United States, although there is one notable departure from the American form in the legislative branch in that a unicameral legislature is provided for. The executive branch is represented in the person of a president and vice-president.

**SUFFRAGE**

Universal male suffrage, except for illiterates, is provided for, and in addition, it is set forth that if 300,000 women vote in favour of woman suffrage at a special plebiscite called for that purpose, women will be extended the right of suffrage.

The right of acquiring public lands, natural resources and franchises is limited to Philippine citizens and corporations, as well as the right to acquire private agricultural lands, except by inheritance. The constitution limits the amount of public land which may be acquired or leased by individuals or corporations, and assigns to the legislature the right to limit the amount of private agricultural land which individuals, corporations or associations may acquire and hold. This provision was when large agricultural land holdings and the casique system approximated almost feudal conditions.

**LANGUAGE**

The constitution provides for the establishment of a national language, with the use of English and Spanish in the interim, as follows: "The national assembly shall take steps toward the development and adoption of a common national language based on one of the existing native languages."

The constitution embodies verbatim the mandatory provisions of the Tydings-McDuffie act. It will be submitted to the President of the United States, who, if it conforms with the Tydings-McDuffie act, shall proclaim its acceptance, whereafter it will be submitted to the people of the islands for approval at a popular plebiscite.

After approval of the constitution election of the officers will be held, whereafter the President of the United States will proclaim the 10-year commonwealth period in effect.

The commonwealth period many observers believe, will not begin until some time in 1936, owing to various formalities in the steps involved.

## RIBBED CREPES

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Ribbed crepes are as popular as ever for the two-piece, and this model shows how attractively the ribs may be used to get different effects. The bodice is smart with two bands stretching from waistline to neck, looped into a bow effect, and thrown over the neck band of the coat.

## LADDERS IN HOSE

FEW things are more annoying than to find that a ladder is starting in one's stocking just as one is going out.

There is no time to change, and a remedy must be found at once or disaster follows. The simplest method of arresting the progress of the ladder is to dab the silk at the end of the ladder with the brush from a bottle of nail varnish, preferably colourless, a cosmetic which most women nowadays have on their dressing tables.

It dries immediately, and, what is most important, it is dependable even after being washed.

## BOYS BEST LIARS

START BEHIND SCRATCH BUT OVERTAKE RIVALS

Pittsburgh, Feb. 14.

Boys are more prone to tell lies than girls, Dr. Byrns J. Horton, professor of education at DePaul University, has concluded.

Prof. Horton told the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in convention here, of a study he made of the truthfulness of 5,000 school students, ranging from pupils in the third grade of Grammar school to the senior year at college.

Strangely enough, he reported, the boys start out at being more truthful than the girls. In the elementary schools, he reported, the girls are more given to telling lies than are the boys. But before long the boys catch up and sail ahead of the girls.

The boys reach their full power to evade the truth at high school age. "The greatest deceivers are the boys in the high school," Prof. Horton reported. In college, apparently, they have more regard for the truth.

Dr. Horton found that both boys and girls are more truthful in the elementary school than they are in high school.

Three things dominate the urge for deceiving, he said. The first

## France's Air Mail Service

FIVE NEW SHIPS ON ATLANTIC  
CONTACT WITH S. AMERICA

By HAROLD EITLINGER

Paris, Feb. 13.

Within a few months Air France will put a fleet of five planes on the South Atlantic mail service and establish the link between France and South America on a solid commercial basis, with planes flying a regular schedule.

According to Director General Allegro, the scheduled service should begin late in Spring, when two new machines already ordered will be in service and the present fleet of three overhauled and ready to increase the record of Atlantic crossings already to their credit.

At present the Santos Dumont is the only plant making regular transatlantic flights. The Conzinet Arc-en-Ciel, in which Mr. Moroz made his remarkable series of flights, is undergoing repairs and will be ready in March, while the latecoere Croix-du-Sud will probably be put back in service in May.

Early in February the new Farman four-motored plane ordered for the South American service will make its first flight, and a few weeks later the company's new Liors-Olivier will undergo its first tests.

In his announcement, M. Allegro reiterated the statement that the recent negotiations with the German Lufthansa were intended to reach a commercial working agreement, but there was never any question of a merger.

In addition to improvement equipment on the south Atlantic service the French company has announced a big programme of building for the European routes, most French plane construction factories sharing in the orders.—United Press.

## DIVORCE "BOOM"

RENO ANTICIPATES "RECOVERY"

Reno, Nov., Feb. 13.

Business recovery is well under way, and as a result Reno divorce trade will boom in 1935, leaders in the Nation's "divorce capital" predict.

During hard times family troubles only bind husbands and wives more closely together, but in prosperous years couples have freer rein to follow individual desires, and the result is more business for the divorce courts, long experience has taught local attorneys.

Apartments and hotels in Reno, and nearby dude ranches, reported a large number of advance reservations for early 1935—an unusual trend in that divorce seekers in past years have avoided the winter months in Reno, preferring the warmer months to obtain their "divorce diplomas."

County clerk E. Beemer, reported that 2,941 suits were filed, and 2,789 divorces granted in Reno during 1934, compared to 2,488 suits filed in 1933. Predictions are made that the 1934 increase would be greatly boosted in 1935.—United Press.

seems to be the altruistic motive, a regard for the other person and a desire not to hurt his feelings. The second seems to be the reaction to the prevalent codes of manners. Manners do not permit one to be too outspoken. The third is the egotistic motive, the desire to keep one's self in the best light.

Dr. Horton summarizes his study by saying that as school children grow older, they become "more tactful in social relations and less regardful of the truth."—United Press.

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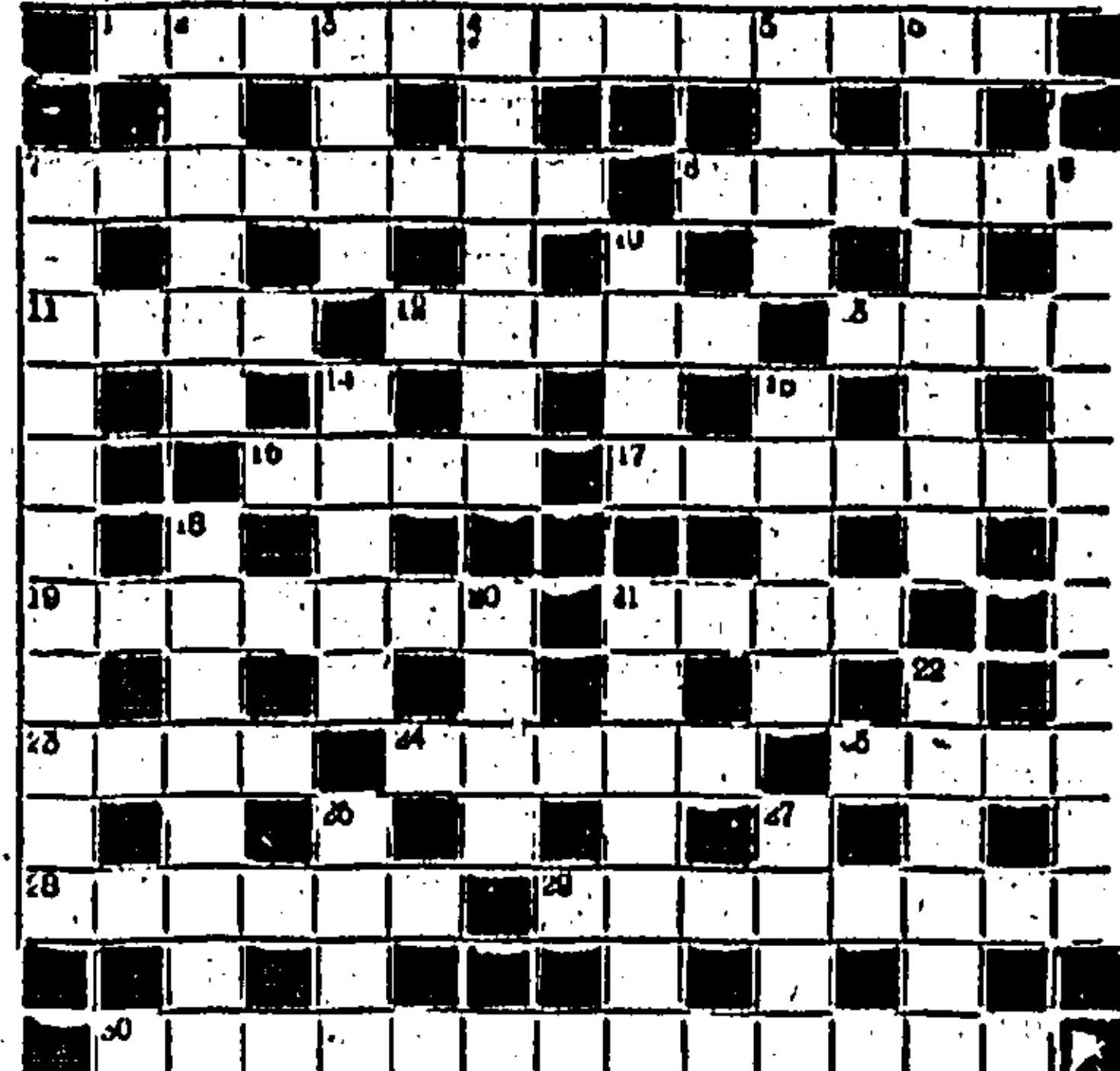
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### Across

- 1 "Ahi lunatic lion," but perhaps, it is merely a sign of the imagination (anag.).
- 7 River: this is simply rich.
- 8 Showing how frugality provides an opening.
- 11 Choose this for road-work.
- 12 There's something radically wrong about this gum.
- 13 Roman author, a little over fifty-four.
- 16 The log of double existence.
- 17 In the Fourteenth Century this French city had a population of nearly 100,000.
- 19 Fair ladies often are, and so Welshmen like cheese.
- 21 An animal in trousers.
- 23 Esau's other name.
- 24 A brief change.
- 25 Whatever the historians may say, this was merely a cloak for Roman occupation.
- 28 Go away, as the varlet did for a change.
- 30 Expose to the sun, even when not out early.
- 30 Some show.

### Down

- 2 Act upon this.
- 3 Praise for an Archbishop.
- 4 How to study form without going against the rules of the Church.
- 5 Thus disarranged and so shut up.
- 6 These are often divided, but only produce vegetables when divided by 3,141593.
- 7 If you wish to secure this post you must enclose a Postal Order.

9 No, I don't think the carpenter finds this such a vexatious tool to use as one might imagine (hyphen).

- 10 I go in with a girl to see the opera.
- 14 Of little account, though the favourite certainly comes in first.
- 15 Birds have them naturally—and they cost us a lot.
- 18 A Continental airport occupies the centre of the stage, and wilful destruction follows.
- 20 Said to be a raised floor.
- 21 He sits with nothing in a corner.
- 22 Co, man (anag.).
- 26 Where wives and husbands go to part.
- 27 You require a twelve-inch base for this.

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TH' BOSS'D GIVE ME HECK, IF HE SAW ME PULL THAT HAT DOWN OVER YER EARS, AN' TELL YA TO SCRAM OUTA HERE!

COURTESY WEEK! ONLY ONE DAY LEFT!

DEEP SEA FISHES AT BOTTOM PRICES!





Pillars of smoke shot through with sheets of flame spouted from this oil well three days after it "blew in" as a big producer near Trinity, Houston County, Tex. Fire crews fought vainly for more than a week to control the roaring blaze, which took a heavy toll of property.

## LONDON GAYEST

### LUXURY TRADE CENTRE

#### SPENDING ORGY

London, Feb. 12.

Londoners are to-day prouder than ever of their city, which, they claim, has become the gayest European capital and the centre of the world's luxury trade.

Night-clubs, theatres, cinemas, restaurants, shops and other trade and amusement enterprises report business increase.

This spending orgy has been accelerated and intensified by the recent wedding of Princess Marina of Greece and the Duke of Kent. London has been having by far a gayer night life than Paris or any other European capital for several months, Britons say.

Shows, even when mediocre, are sell-outs. Lines of people are to be seen every night at the gallery entrances of West End theatres, waiting patiently the opening of the box-office to buy seats.

Cabarets, although with less attractive floor shows and smaller bands than in large American cities, announce a considerable increase in patronage. Cinemas report capacity houses throughout the series of daily performances, and between 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. it's hardly possible to find room in the cheaper seats.

However, there has been no noteworthy increase in prices. England not being a gold-standard country, Frenchmen, Swiss, Hollanders, Italians, etc., have found that their currencies can buy much more in London than in any other European capital. Therefore, there has been a considerable influx of temporary visitors from abroad, who have taken advantage of the monetary situation, business men say.

#### ECONOMICAL FUN

They claim that London has replaced Paris chiefly because amusements here cost less, and the expense of the trip is covered by savings effected in purchasing here articles that, if bought at home, would be more expensive.

This reported steady increase of business volume, mostly centred in London, has given this city an undeniable air of prosperity. Every trade and commercial enterprise is benefiting from the augmented tourist traffic, it is said. On the other hand Britons now prefer

to stay at home, because they know that sterling has lost its former high purchasing power.

Jewellers claim 90 per cent. of the world's deals in diamonds are done here; and that more than \$75,000,000 worth of rough stones have recently changed hands in the neighbourhood of Hatton-Garden, London's market for precious stones.

Furriers claim that London has now taken the place of both Leipzig, Germany, and St. Louis, Mo., as the world's fur trading centre.

They say Canada alone sent £1,500,000 worth of raw furs here this year, which are being finished and sold all over the world for more than £4,000,000, and that the 1934 fur trade has already doubled the £10,000,000 of 1931.

In the art trade, auctioneering firms in the West End say that it is much easier now to sell artistic and literary treasures than before the gold-standard days.—United Press.

## FARMERS WASTING TIME

### USELESS LAND CULTIVATED

#### ABANDONMENT URGED

Washington, Feb. 9.

Federal retirement of 75,000,000 acres of submarginal land is necessary to America's economic and industrial well-being, according to the National Resources Board.

The committee, in its report to President Roosevelt, suggested the Government pay \$375,000,000 during the next 15 years to take this land out of cultivation, transfer the inhabitants to more fertile areas and withdraw homestead privileges from unsuitable acreage.

Retirement of valueless land was the keystone of the board's programme of improving agriculture and industry. Other factors were flood and soil erosion protection, irrigation, extension of federal control to cover public domain used primarily for grazing and development of national and state parks and forest reserves.

The Board recommended partial government control of the mining industry to assist economic stability, minimize waste, maintain wage standards and protect investments.

Necessity for a subsistence homestead programme to care for families now on submarginal land was stressed. The government, it said, should foster decentralization of industry to supply farmers with part-time employment.

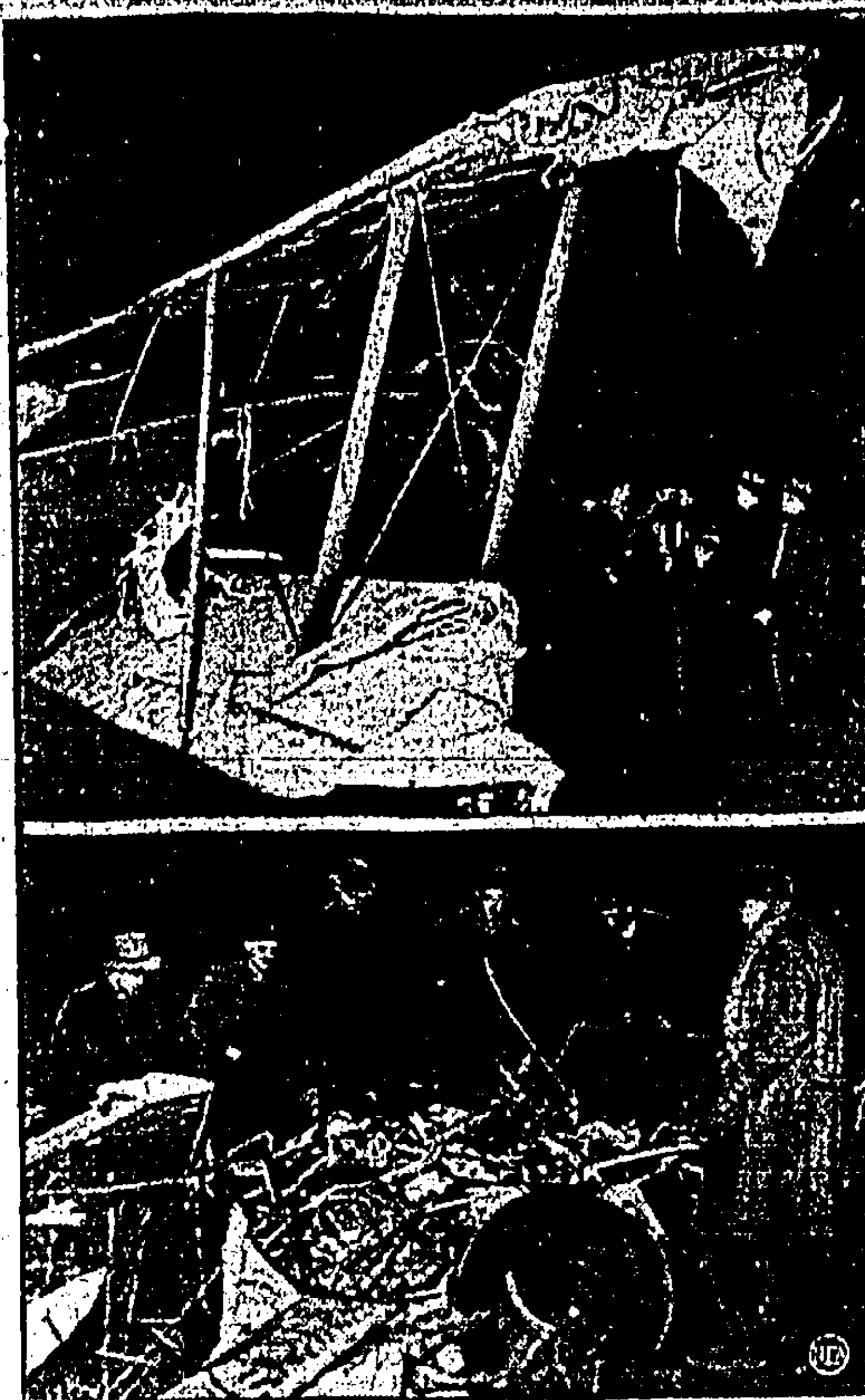
"Experience during the current year," the report said, "has shown that the families in these areas respond readily to the programme and that it is supported by local public opinion.

"These areas," it added, "have been characterized by incredibly low standards of living. Last spring a programme for the purchase of these poor farms and for aiding the transfer of families to other locations was begun, and the government now is engaged in plans for acquisition of approximately 165 subsistence homestead areas containing a total of over 6,000,000 acres.

To aid farm tenants, the board suggested the "possibility of adapting to American conditions the policy of compensation for improvements made, and certain measures protecting competent tenants against the risk of unwarranted displacements.

The board suggested municipalities increase parks to the proportion of one acre for every 100 citizens.

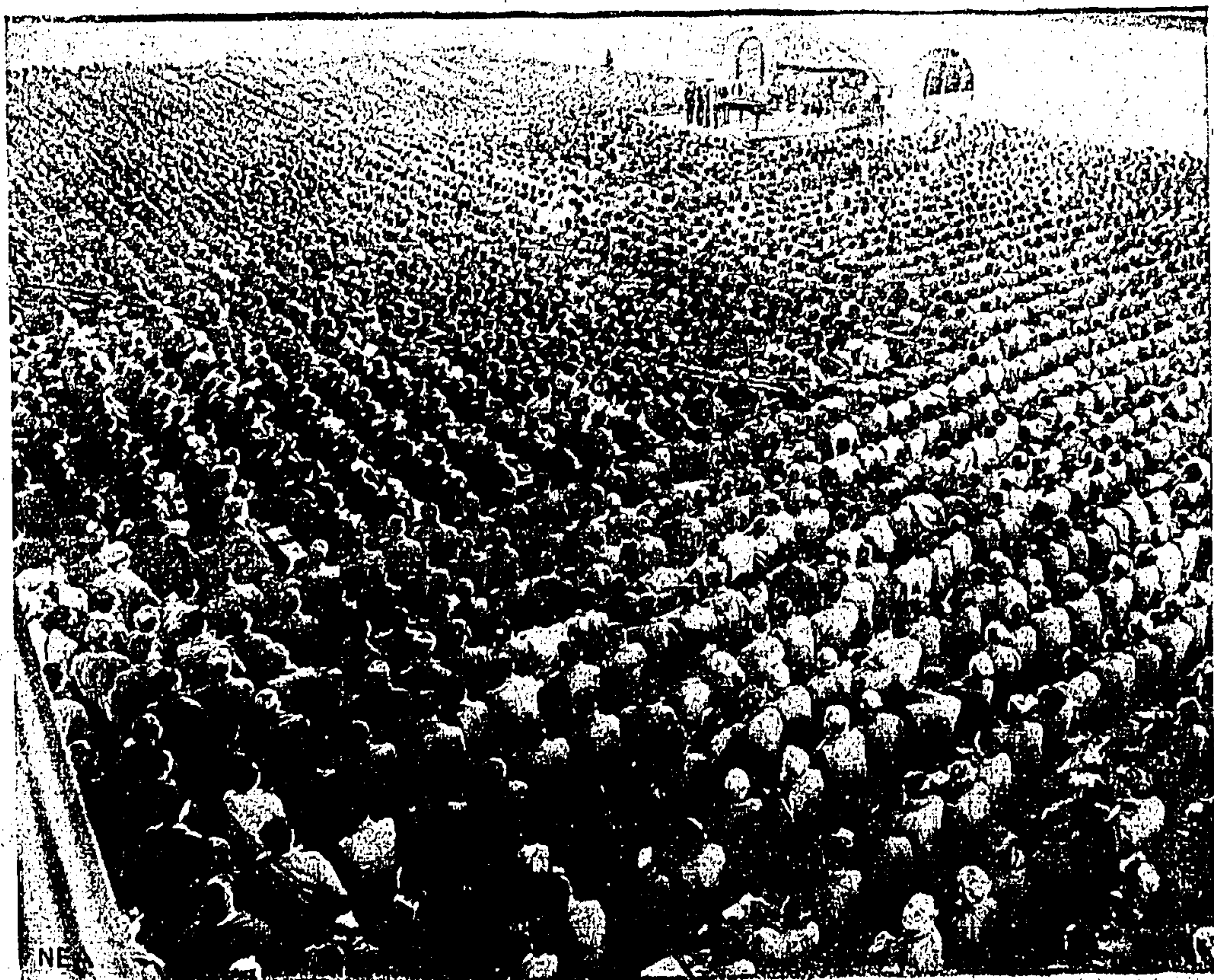
To insure a long-time land development programme, the board recommended establishment of a permanent land planning board.—United Press.



These two planes crashed high in the air and plunged to earth, one wrecked and the other crippled, two flyers dying in the collision near Murfreesboro, Tenn. The craft were Indiana National Guard planes, returning from the Miami air races. Lieut. W. B. Morgan of Indianapolis and his observer landed safely in their crippled ship, shown above, coming down in a cornfield six miles away. The dead airmen were Lieuts. Henderson Wheeler and Richard Miller, also of Indianapolis, killed instantly in the wrecked plane shown below.



His Imperial Highness Crown Prince Akihito Tsugunomiya did not say much on his recent first anniversary, but all Japan celebrated the birthday of the future ruler of Nippon. Here is his official photograph, released through the Imperial Household Department for the birthday fete.



Work and prison politics were forgotten when the 5,500 convicts at San Quentin Prison were assembled in the penitentiary mess hall for this remarkable photograph, for the occasion was the annual vaudeville show given by theatrical interests and people of the San Francisco Bay Region—a show staged with "big time" settings. And you'll note that 5,499 did not face the camera lens, as is usual "outside" prison walls.



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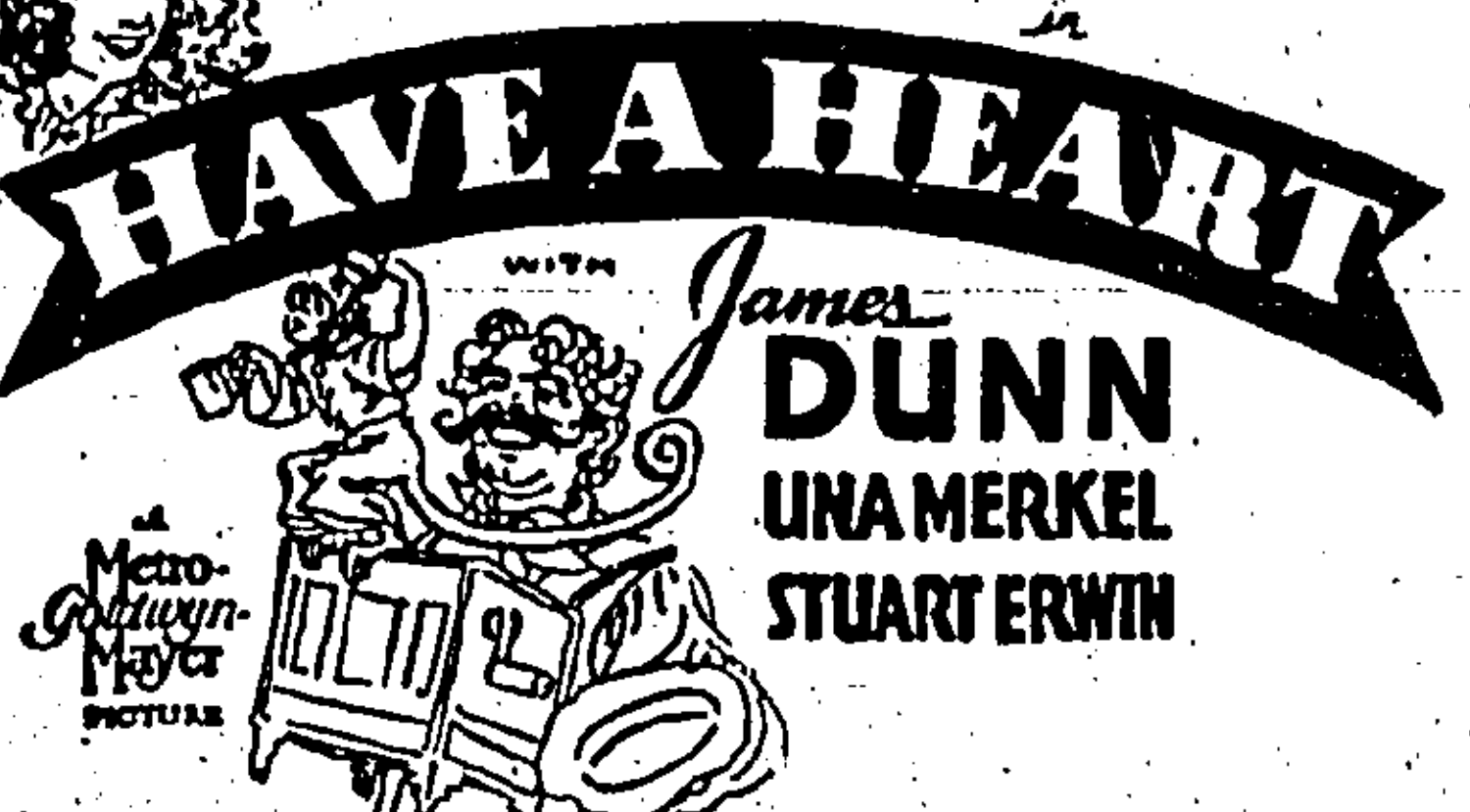
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THE FORTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on Thursday, the 7th March, 1935, AT NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1934.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from Friday, the 22nd February, 1935 to Thursday, the 7th March, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
F. H. CRAPPELL,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1935.

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that the ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., 18, Pedder Street, Hongkong, on Saturday, the 23rd February 1935, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1934.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 11th February to Saturday the 23rd February 1935 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
V. M. GRAYBURN,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, 1st February, 1935.

## HONG KONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL SHOW of FLOWERS and VEGETABLES will be held at the VOLUNTEER HEADQUARTERS on THURSDAY, the 28th FEBRUARY, 1935, from 3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.

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Hongkong, 26th January, 1935.

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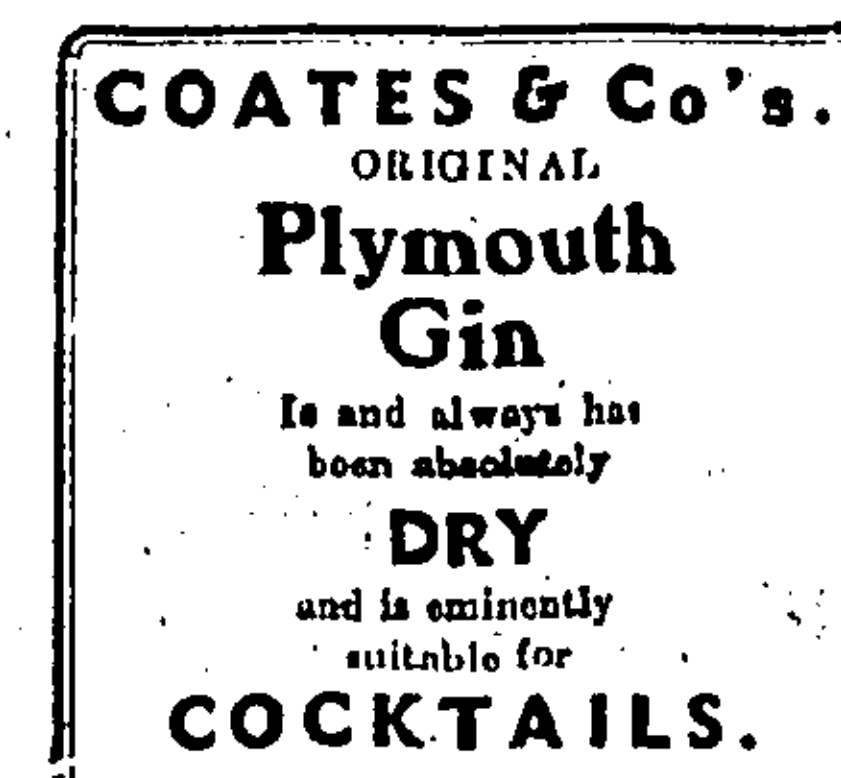
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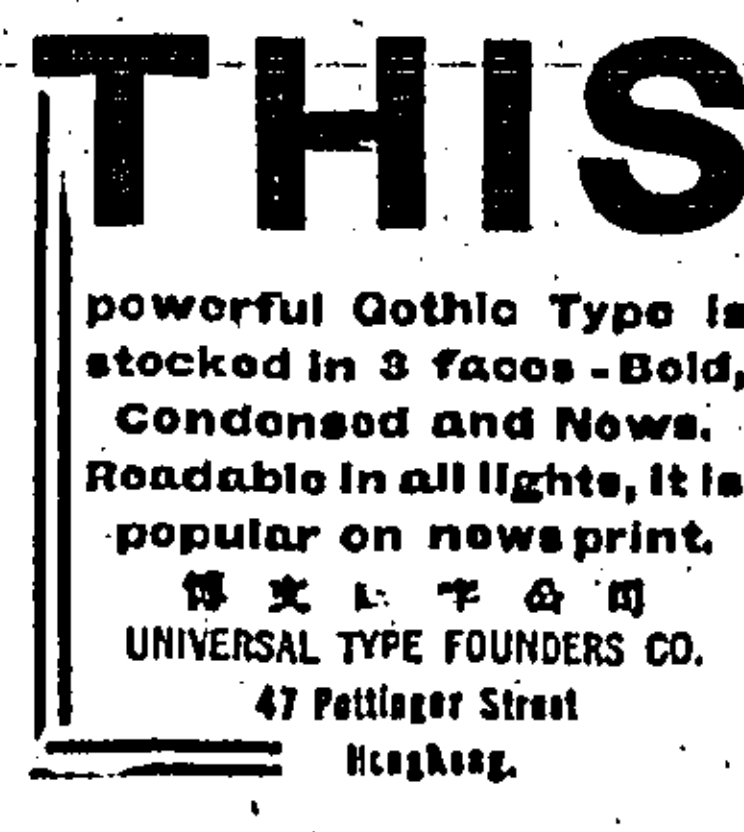
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Shanghai and Swatow	Shantung	February 20.
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London, 24th January and London, 17th January—Air Mail ex Amsterdam—Bandoeng Service (Amsterdam, 6th February)	Carthage	February 21.
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Japan	K'inn Maru	February 22.
Japan	Phenius	February 22.
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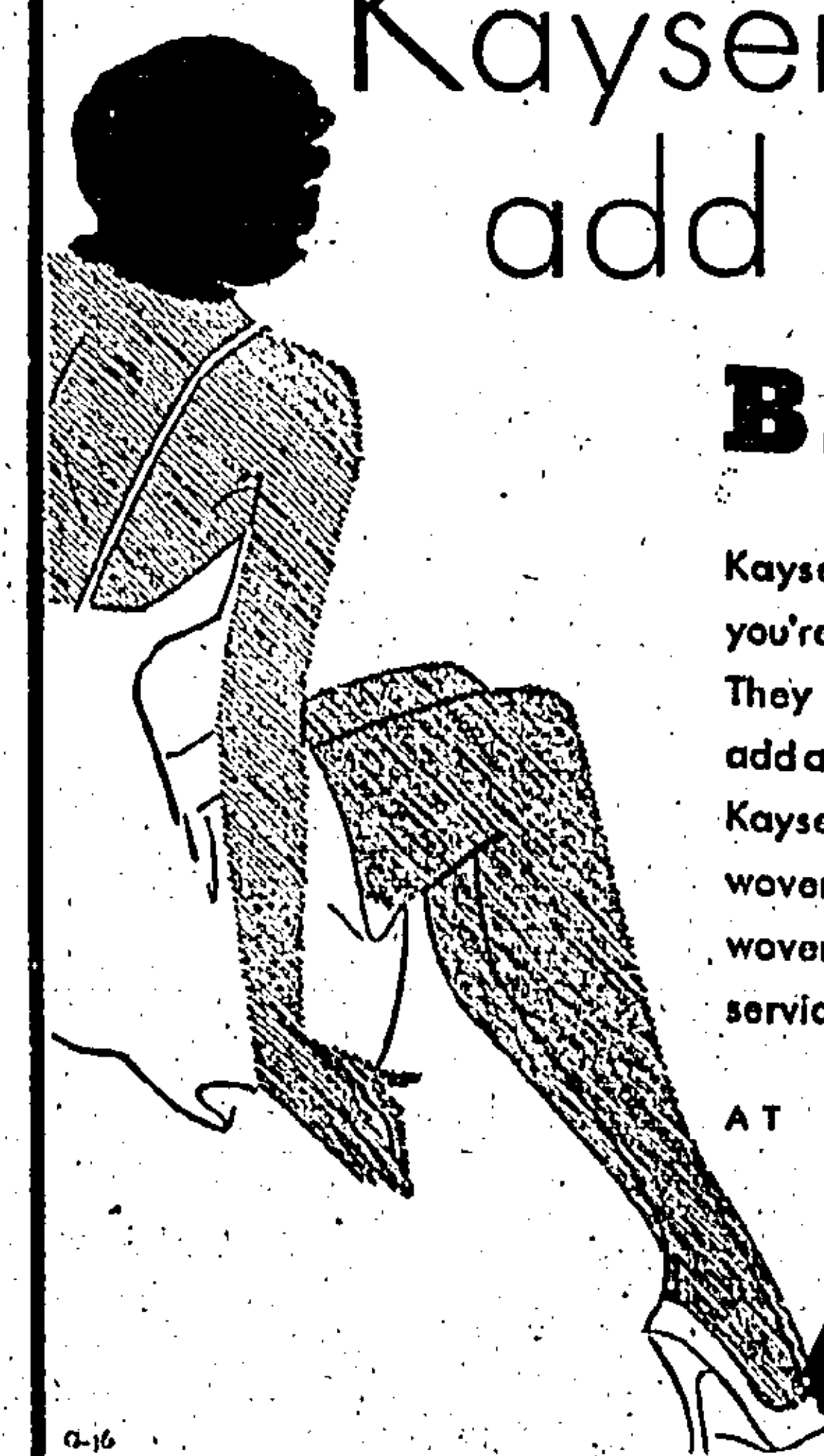
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For	Per	Date and Time
Wednesday.		
Swatow	Selatan	Wed., Feb. 20, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., Feb. 20, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco, and *Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 13th March)	Tatsuma Maru	Wed., Feb. 20.
Straits	Calchas	Wed., Feb. 20, 10.30 a.m.
Thursday.		
Formosa via Swatow & Amoy	Dell Maru	Thurs., Feb. 21, 8.30 a.m.
*Straits and Calcutta	Solsang	Thurs., Feb. 21, 9 a.m.
Parcel	Letters	Thurs., Feb. 21, 10 a.m.
Straits	Van Houten	Thurs., Feb. 21, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy	Tinegara	Thurs., Feb. 21, 10.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Mausang	Thurs., Feb. 21, 1.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa	Buenos Aires Maru	Thurs., Feb. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Hvdrangea	Thurs., Feb. 21, 3 p.m.
Swatow	Tilawa	Thurs., Feb. 21, 5 p.m.
Friday.		
Straits	Hai Leo	Fri., Feb. 22, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai, *Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Carthage	Fri., Feb. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Hohow, Pakhol and *Halpang	Kwangtung	Fri., Feb. 22, 1 p.m.
Halpang	Canton	Fri., Feb. 22, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halyang	Fri., Feb. 22, 2 p.m.
Saturday.		
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Kitano Maru	Sat., Feb. 23, 8.45 a.m.
via Thursday Island, 7th March.	Reg.	Sat., Feb. 23, 9.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco, and *Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 13th March)	President Coolidge	Sat., Feb. 23.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 22nd March).	Parcels	Sat., Feb. 23, 5 p.m.
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Shanghai and Japan	Athos II.	Sat., Feb. 23, 5 p.m.
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Foochow	Luchow	Sun., Feb. 24, 9 a.m.
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#### RUSSIAN OPINION

##### AMBASSADOR'S WARNING OF NEW WAR

London, Feb. 19. Russia's first official pronouncement on the Franco-British scheme for the peace of Europe, was made by the Soviet Ambassador Mr. Maiski, when addressing the League of Nations Union.

He warned his listeners that frustration of the Eastern Europe Pact "may pave the road to a new world war".

He asserted that the German reply aroused the most serious apprehensions, and insisted that the conclusion of a Western European Aerial Alliance with no pact in the east would fail to assure peace.

He hinted at a Franco-Russian Alliance if Germany and Poland continued to reject the Eastern Pact.—United Press.

Two excellent magazines have been received setting out the many attractions which Germany holds for tourists. One is entitled "Germany," and the other "Germany and You." Several contributed articles show how enjoyable a visit to the country can be, whether in summer or winter, for sports or merely to relax; and the many fine illustrations are themselves persuasive.

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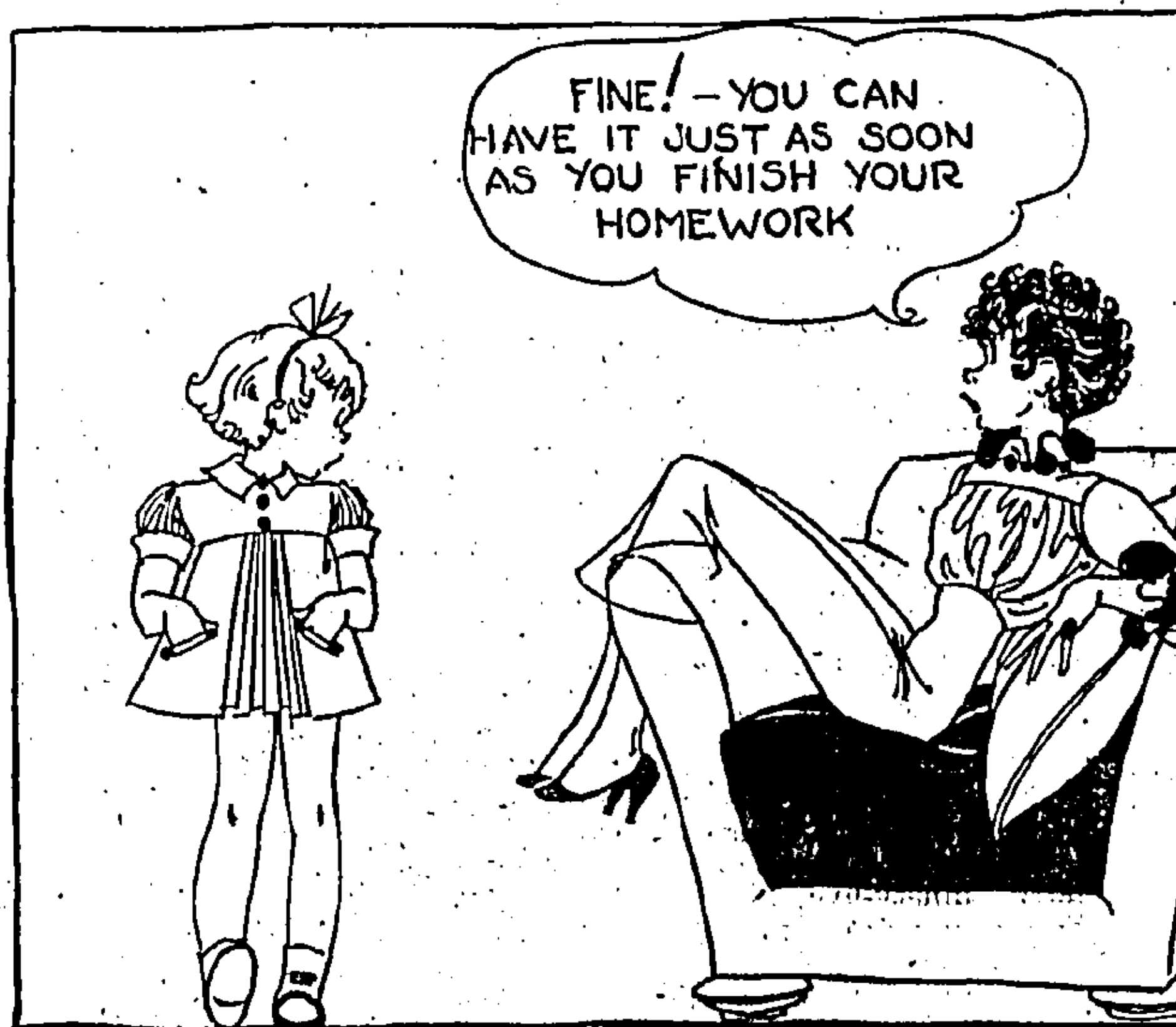
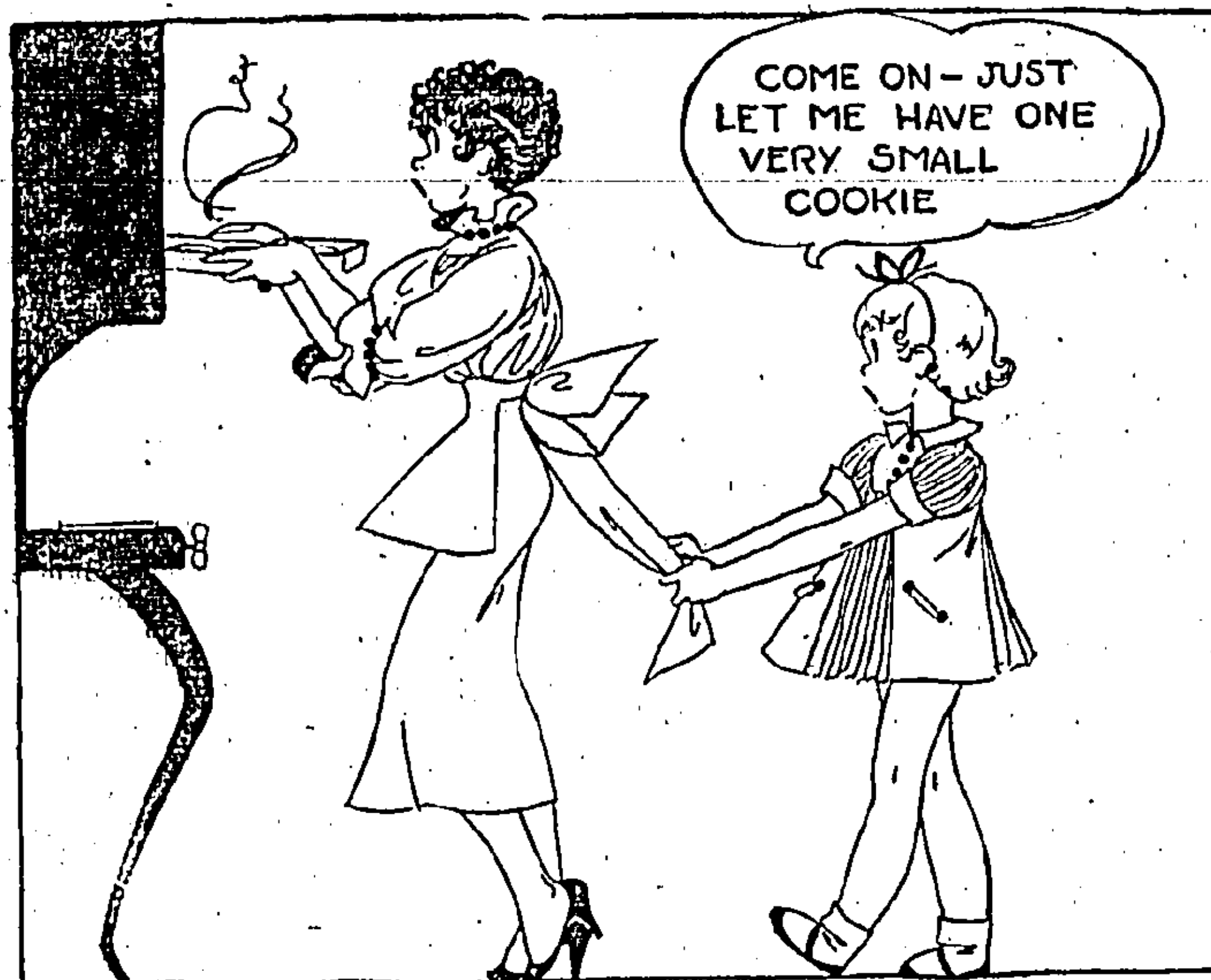
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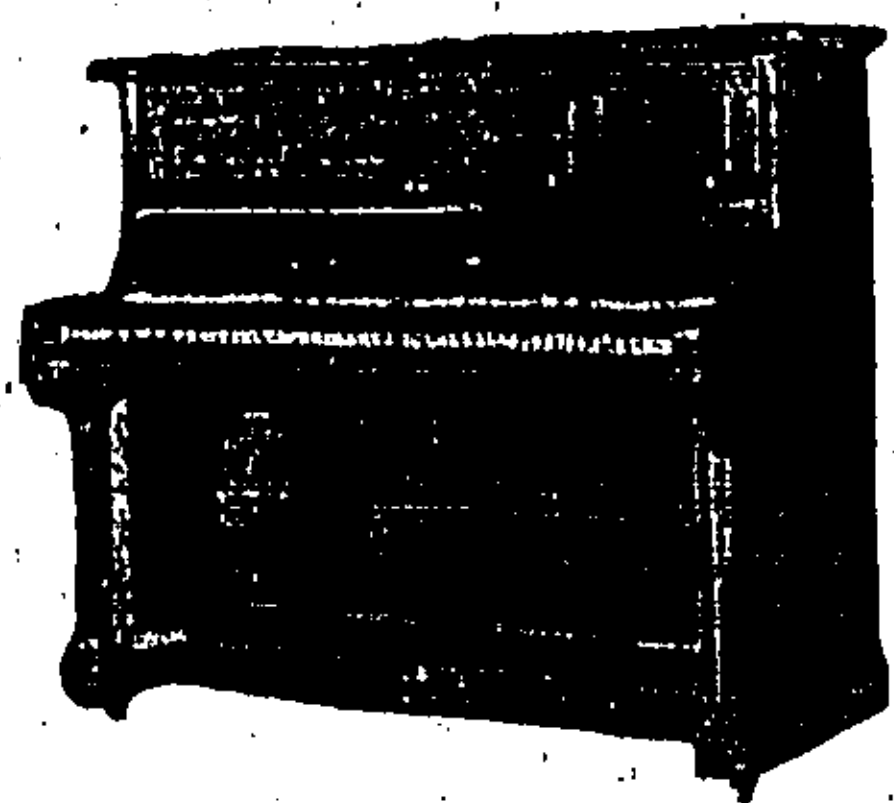
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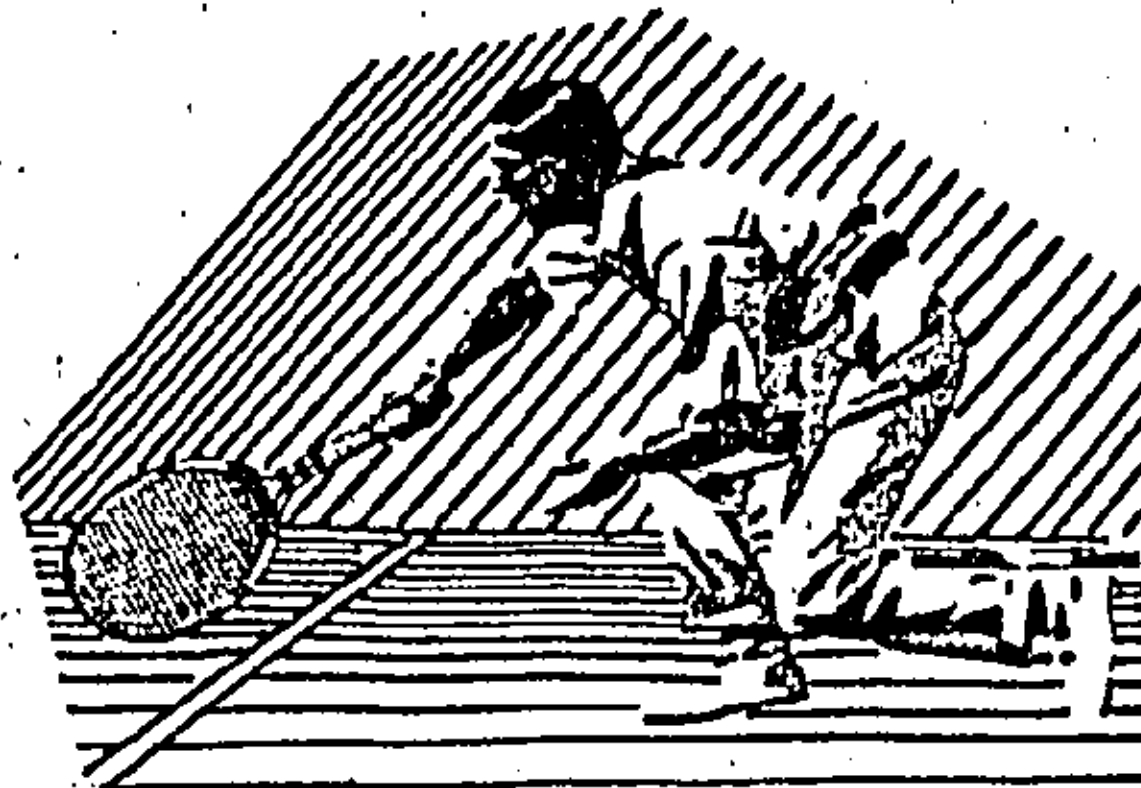
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## DEATH.

MITCHELL.—At the French Hospital, Hongkong, on February 20, 1935, John Edward Mitchell, Steward of the Hongkong Club, aged 42 years. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5 p.m. to-day (Wednesday).

## The Hongkong Telegraph

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20, 1935.

## BRITISH ARMS INQUIRY

Following the American investigation into the manufacture of and trade in arms and munitions of war, Britain has appointed a Royal Commission to carry out a similar inquiry. Whilst the Government is accepting the American proposals as a basis for discussion, the scope of the British investigation is somewhat limited in character. It is to cover three points—(1) possible prohibition of the private manufacture of munitions; (2) the question of steps being taken to remove objections to private manufacture; and (3) examination of the British system of control of exports, with a view to discovering whether revision is needed. It is something to the good that the general question is to be looked into; but a query arises whether, under the terms of reference, there is likely to be any investigation of the charges made during the Washington inquiry that British and American munition-makers were in partnership. Another point is whether there will be any follow-up of the allegation that the International armaments ring brought pressure to bear to defeat the Disarmament Conference, or of the charge that American, British and other armament concerns played one nation against another in order to find a market for their products. When the inquiry was first mooted, there was a suggestion made in the United States that the British Commission would not have power to examine books or other documents, but it is now definitely made clear that the investigators will have the right of calling witnesses to give evidence, to call for information in writing, and also to call for and examine documents. It has been hinted that, following the American disclosures, munition-makers in Britain have had time to remove or destroy any damaging documents which may have existed in their files, but it is hardly likely, if such an idea did occur to them, that they would be able to remove all traces of possibly incriminating transac-

tions. Without doubt, the main point to be dealt with by the Commission will be whether the Government shall have a monopoly in the manufacture of arms, or whether matters shall continue as they now are, with the Government making some of its own arsenals and big private firms making some at their own plants. The Government itself, as revealed by its spokesmen recently, favours retention of the present system. It is noteworthy, however, that in the League of Nations Peace Ballot there has so far been a vote of nearly ninety-five per cent. against the private manufacture of arms. This would certainly seem to indicate that popular opinion is decidedly in favour of a State monopoly, coupled with an international agreement embracing the major Powers.

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## SOLID GROUND

The financial world must feel itself upon more solid ground to-day, following the announcement of the United States Supreme Court that the Administration's abrogation of the gold clause in bond contracts in effect is valid. The decision is remarkable in that the Supreme Court recognised that the act of abrogation was unconstitutional. Apparently the end justified the means, even in the eyes of the law; or, at least, in the eyes of the majority of the justices upon the bench of the Supreme Court. But if the Constitution is to be ignored by the Administration in matters of this sort, what guarantee have the people, the investing public, in America and abroad, that they will not suffer from some other form of devaluation? Why should not the bond-buyer prospect say: "America's word is as good as her bond; and I shall buy none of her bonds?"

## DANGEROUS ALTERNATIVE

One of the dissenting justices declared, when he commented upon the obvious paradox in his brothers' ruling: "The Constitution is gone." But, for the moment at least, there is no fear of financial embarrassment for the Government of the United States, or the bond-issuing corporations which might have been asked to pay 1.63 in depreciated currency for every "gold dollar" called for in their bond contracts. And that is the main thing. That would have been a blow to America and to the world, for it would have meant that America's bonded indebtedness, public and private, would have been increased from approximately \$90,000,000,000 to \$150,000,000,000 overnight. The financial structure of the country would have been badly wrecked, and there would not have been a market in the world which would have felt the strain.

## POSSIBILITIES

It is probably well for most, under the circumstances, that the Supreme Court tempered its judgment with discretion. It is rather dreadful to think of what might have happened had one of those judges of the majority changed his mind at the last moment, and cast a vote against the Government, valuing his Government's honour more than solvency. In that event the reasoning of one man might have upset the markets of the world in most effective fashion. We cannot know how the Roosevelt Administration would have acted in the event of a decision against its policy, of course; what its defence would have been. But the immediate effect of the Supreme Court's decision was to settle a somewhat disturbed market. The moment the decision was made known there was a general relaxing of the tension, a revival of confidence, rapid rise in prices, which late profit-taking stopped. If the decision had been the other way, the reaction would undoubtedly have been as quick in the opposite direction to what it is at present. We may have much to be thankful for; and so may the gold bondholders, in spite of their losses.

## WISH TO BELIEVE

The power of rumour is a queer thing. Someone tells someone else a tall tale, that someone else carries still farther—and the first thing you know, half the country believes it; believes it with an intensity that no amount of public denial can ever entirely shake. A sample is the trouble which curators of the National Library in Paris have been having with credulous folk who insist on having a look at the mummy of Cleopatra. The library has never had such a mummy. As far as anyone knows, no mummy of the famous Egyptian queen is in existence. For 50 years the library curators have been issuing public denials that there was such a mummy. But it makes no difference. There is a rumour abroad in France that the library has the mummy, and people keep coming to see it—and getting indignant when they can't. A rumour of that kind can be one of the hardest growths known to human society.

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## MARRIAGE MENDER WANTED

By MRS. BELLOC LOWNDES

More than 1,300 actions for divorce—a higher number than for 10 years past—are down for hearing during the new law term in England.

"WHY not make it up?" Such is the question addressed with earnest emphasis to every French married couple about to apply for relief in the Paris Divorce Court.

Some years ago I was well acquainted with one of these matrimonial conciliators, and, looking back, I am struck by the fact that his qualifications for this far from easy post were simply that he was a kindly man of the world, happily married, and with children to whom he was devoted. He had also apparently been chosen for the good sense which, in his case, was coupled with that kindness of heart which is far removed from sentimentality.

His procedure, once described to me, was as follows. He first interviewed each husband and wife separately, making the while a serious attempt to learn something of their circumstances, so that he might form some idea of what had brought his or her desire for a separation. Then he saw the two together, and urged them to compose their quarrel.

He told me that the success of his efforts, for frequently a man and woman who had come into his presence scowling at one another, and even, in some cases, ready to fly at each other's throats, walked out of his room arm-in-arm.

It is rumoured that the example set so long ago in France is about to be followed in his country, owing to the alarming increase which is taking place as regards both judicial separation and divorce.

Should this new post be created, surely the ideal Marriage Conciliator would be a middle-aged doctor, of either sex, who has been for some years in general practice and so has come in touch with innumerable married couples in all classes and conditions of life.

Now what has brought about both the increase in serious matrimonial disputes and the eagerness of many couples to seek release from what have apparently become intolerable bonds? The answer to this question is of great moment to those who are contemplating marriage; to all parents; and most of all to every human being who has the social welfare of his country at heart.

I think many of my happily married readers, among those who do not consider themselves yet as old, would agree that an astonishing change has taken place in their own lifetime with regard to this question.

Not so very long ago the possibility of divorce, or even of judicial separation, never occurred to the average man and wife. In fact, what is true of many human ills was especially true then of marital disagreements. The happy—mark the old-fashioned phrase—were each subconsciously aware that, as he and she were situated, there was no alternative but to live up to the old adage "What can't be cured must be endured."

And, as many of us can remember with either a smile or a sigh,



"You can't do anything with him, officer. His parents have spoiled him."

## The Very Idea!

## THIS WEATHER

By Horatio Bogg, Meteorologist

FOR the sixth time yesterday, Bogg had had inane remarks anent the cold and/or fine weather thrown at his head, by persons who could think of nothing more intellectual to talk about. Goaded to exasperation, it was just too bad for the Cub Reporter that on meeting for the first time yesterday morning in the lift, he should hit on the same topic with which to resume daily relations. This was what happened when Bogg ran amuck:

"Top of the morning to you, Mr. Bogg."

"All the rest of it to you, young man."

"Thank you kindly, Sir. May I be permitted to say that the weather to-day is simply topping?"

"Certainly not. What if it is?"

"Oh nothing, Sir, except that we have had such abominable conditions lately, that to-day has come as a pleasant change indeed."

"Damitall, man, don't I know that too? Why speak of the obvious? But perhaps you are suggesting I have not the sense to find that out for myself? If so, you are guilty of a piece of disrespect to your elders. I am not sure it has not amounted to impertinence."

"But, Sir, I did not mean to be disrespectful or impertinent. Please pardon me."

"I am not sure that I ought not to be very, very angry over this reprehensible conduct on your part. Indeed I am surprised at my moderation."

"You have such wonderful self-control, Sir, if I may be permitted to say so."

"That is at it may be. But, questions of conduct apart, I am not sure that the weather is a safe topic for discussion."

"I am most interested, Sir."

"It is this, young man, that the best of us may not speak with certainty on any matter, leastways on such a tricky thing as the weather. That is, with the possible exception of one authority."

"And who may that be, Sir?"

"I refer to the Weather Authority."

"And is he a very great authority on the subject, Sir?"

"He is, my boy. What he says about the weather goes. When he says the weather is going to be 'fair to cloudy,' depend on it we shall have tolerable good weather."

"But if, after that, we still have bad weather?"

"There son, you are beginning to ask foolish questions. It is in every one of us always to hope for the best, and if he should err, he has erred no more than other optimists."

"Then the only safe thing to do is to take our weather, fair or foul, as it comes?"

"Precisely, my boy. I see you have profited from your journalistic career, short as it has been."

"I may therefore not even say that it is good weather, in case it turns out to be foul?"

"You are a lad of uncommon perspicacity. If you keep on at this rate, I may permit you to write for this column."

"Very kind of you to think so, Sir. What led me to refer to the fine weather just now, Sir, is that I had hoped you might be induced by its favourable conditions to honour me with your company at the Gloucester Lounge."

"Why did you not say that right away? However, it is not too late. But always keep this in mind, my son, I never object to the glass going up—always provided it's full to the brim and is moving in the direction of my lips."

heals, even if the healing takes the bitter form of the cauterising of a wound.

Cruel, taunting, even foolish, words are what often keep open a fostering sore which taints the very springs of love in married life.

The little word "obey" is now sometimes left out in one marriage service, yet obedience plays a great part in married life. Many a man is well aware that there will be trouble if he does not obey his wife. I was amused the other day to hear that a famous admiral lately exclaimed: "I was in the Navy for 50 years, but I have learned that the discipline of the quarterdeck is nothing to the discipline of home."



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REBELS

Trenton, Feb. 19.  
Bruno Hauptmann, condemned to die for the murder of the Lindbergh baby, has rebelled against the chief of his counsel, Mr. Edward Reilly, one of the foremost criminal lawyers in the United States.

Hauptmann has revolted to the extent of making his second counsel, Mr. Floyd Fisher, leader of his defence campaign.

Mr. Reilly had earlier announced that all moves in respect to an appeal had been indefinitely postponed, and at a consultation with junior counsel would give no reason for this action.

Mr. Fisher was so enraged at the attitude of Mr. Reilly that he approached Hauptmann at once and urged that he be given full charge of the case.

"I cannot conceive why anyone would wish to adjourn the appeal when the man is scheduled to die in four weeks' time," said Mr. Fisher.

Mr. Fisher has charge of the defence fund, including the subscriptions which are coming in from those who believe in Hauptmann's innocence.—*Reuter*.

JAPANESE AIMS IN  
CHINALORD LOTHIAN'S  
VIEWS

London, Feb. 18.  
"Japan wants to tear up and stop over the treaties and the present collective system in the Far East," Lord Lothian writes this morning in *The Times* in commenting on Japanese policy in China.

"I do not think there is any doubt," he goes on, "that Japan wants to put the world in the face of a fait accompli in China analogous to that accomplished in Manchuria. There is, of course, no question of war, which strengthens the Japanese position. But there is all the difference between the policy of drift and of a vigorous political action on the part of the other signatories of the Nine-Power Treaty which is now torn up without their consent."

"China does not want to be subdued by Japan," the writer continues, "she wishes to stand on her own legs without being enslaved by any foreign power. As a matter of fact the United States, Great Britain, the U.S.S.R., France, and Italy, can give her more effective financial help than Japan," concludes the article.—*Havas*.

DEATH OF MR. J. E.  
MITCHELLSTEWART OF HONG-  
KONG CLUB

Widespread regret will be felt at the death of Mr. John Edward Mitchell, Stewart of the Hongkong Club, which took place at the French Hospital in the early hours of this morning, at the age of 42 years.

The late Mr. Mitchell had been in the service of the Hongkong Club for about six months, prior to which he was on the staff of the Repulse Bay Hotel. Some years ago, he was Assistant Manager of the King Edward Hotel. He had resided in the Far East for many years. He leaves a brother and sister in England, for whom much sympathy will be felt.

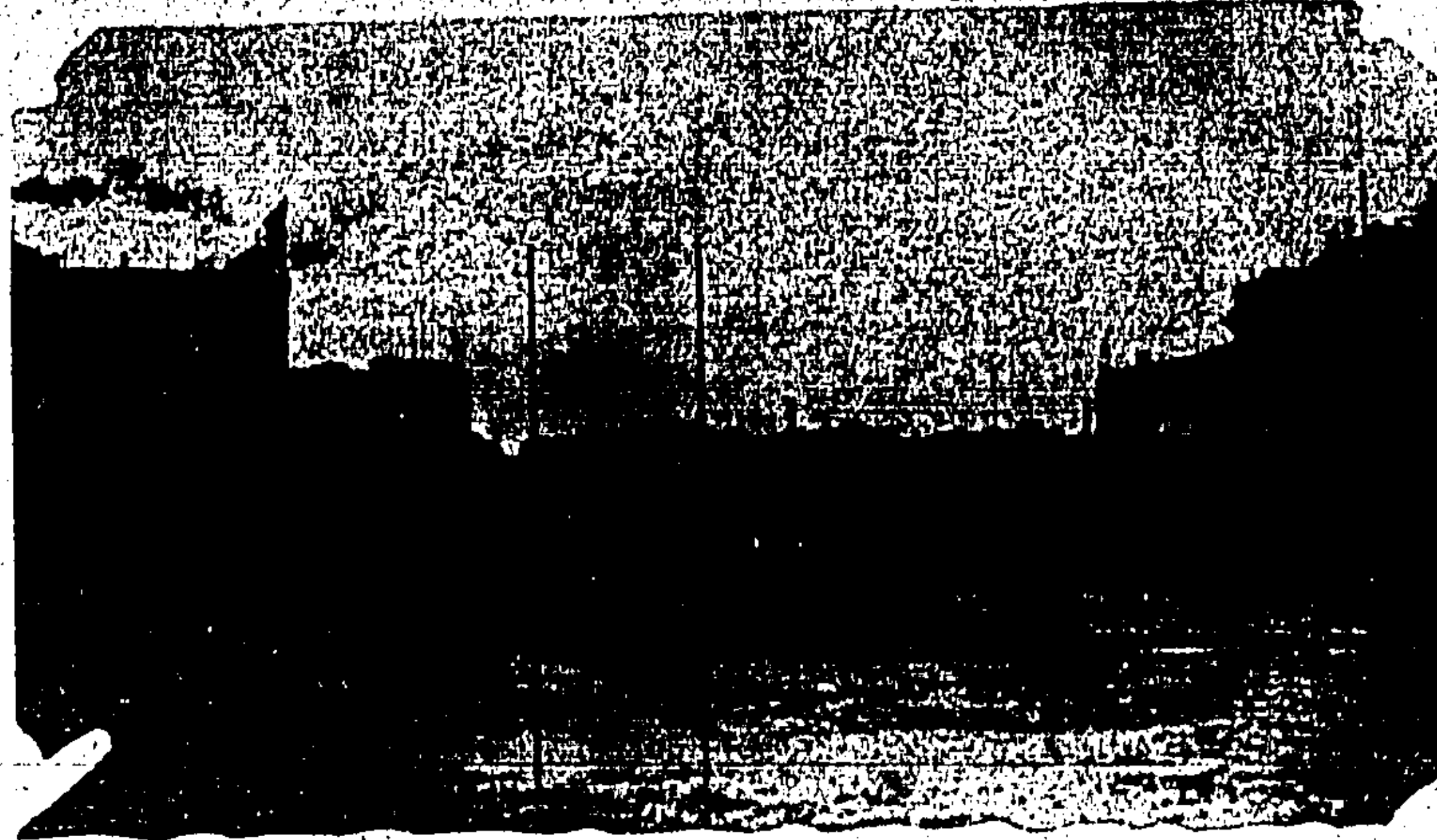
The funeral takes place this evening, passing the Monument at 5 p.m.

SINO-JAPANESE  
TALKS

Shanghai, Feb. 19.  
Major-General Dolharn called on General Huang Fu, Chairman of the Peiping Political Council, and Mr. Chang Kung-Chuen, Manager of the Bank of China, here this morning, prior to his departure for Nanking. He is proceeding to Nanking by train to-night.—*Central News*.

## INDUSTRIES FAIR

London, Feb. 19.  
The number of buyers at the British Industries Fair to-day was 10,868, an increase of 1,009 over the figures on the corresponding day last year.—*British Wireless*.



Heavy rains interfered with sport in Shanghai recently. Our picture shows the Racecourse flooded by an overnight downfall.

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Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday in conjunction with *Reuter*.

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May .....	12.07	12.03-12.01
July .....	12.71	12.68-12.68
October .....	12.68	12.60-12.60
December .....	12.65	12.56-12.55
January (1936) .....	12.67	12.57-12.57
Spot .....	12.80	12.66

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
March .....	13.42b	13.15-13.15
May .....	13.56	13.28-13.30
July .....	13.72	13.43-13.44
September .....	13.80	13.50-13.53
October .....	13.97	13.68-13.69
December .....	14.16	13.80-13.88

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
March .....	90	98 1/4-98 1/4
May .....	92 1/2	91 1/2-92
September .....	90 1/2	90 1/2-90 1/2

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
March .....	80	87 1/4-87 1/4
May .....	83 1/4	82 1/4-82 1/4
September .....	70 1/4	78 1/4-78 1/4

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
March .....	83 1/4	83 1/4-83 1/4
May .....	82 1/4	82 1/4-82 1/4

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
March .....	1.42	1.40 1/4-1.40 1/4
May .....	1.43	1.40 1/4-1.41
July .....	1.43	1.41 1/4-1.41 1/4

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
March .....	55.05	55.30-55.40
May .....	55.00	55.76-55.76
September .....	55.00	55.30-55.50

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## SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:—

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
Hongkong Bank, \$1520.		
H.K. Bank, Lon. Reg., \$131 1/2		
Chartered Bank, \$15 1/4 n.		
Mercantile Bank, A. and B. \$31 1/4 n.		
Mercantile Bank C., \$13 1/2 n.		
East of Asia Bank, \$80 n.		
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.		
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$1.80 n.		
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$4 1/2 n.		

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
Canton Ins., \$260 n.		
Union Ins., \$492 1/2 n.		
China Underwriters, \$1.30 b.		
China Fire, \$400 n.		
H.K. Fire Ins., \$227 1/2 b.		
Internat'l Assce. Sh. \$5.00 n.		
Douglas, \$39 1/4 b.		
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 1/4 n.		
Benquet Consolidated, \$14 a.		
Benquet Exp. 17 cts. b.		
Benquet Goldfield, 10 cts. n.		
Big Wedge, 10 cts. n.		
Gold Creek, 58 1/2 cts. n.		
Gold River 22 cts. a.		
Ipo Mining, \$1 n.		
Logans, 42 cts. n.		
Salacot, 16 cts. n.		
Kallan, 18/6 n.		
Langkats (Single), \$15 n.		
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.		
Shai Loans, Sh. \$5 n.		
Rauha, \$7.90 n.		
Venz, Goldfield, \$5 n.		

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H.K. Wharves, \$112 s.		
H.K. Docks, \$11 1/2 n.		
Providents (old), \$1.25 b.		
Providents (new), 30 cts. n.		
Hongkows (old), Sh. \$309 n.		
New Engineering, Sh. \$5.80 n.		
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$120 n.		

	Feb. 18. Close	Feb. 19. Closing Range
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$9.22 1/2 n.		
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$74 n.		
Shai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$45 n.		
Zoong Sing, \$9.30 n.		
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$55 n.		
Lands Hotels, etc.		
H. and S. Hotels, \$4.95 b.		
H.K. Lands, \$60 n.		
H.K. Lands 4% debentures, \$101 b.		
Shai Lands, Sh. \$22 n.		
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$12.20 n.		
Humphreys, \$10 n.		
H.K. Realties, \$5.10 n.		
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## JAPANESE NET STARS WIN AND LOSE IN MANILA

## HAYASHI REACHES THE SEMI-FINAL

## YOSHIOKA OUT: MOON WINS IN FOUR SETS

Manila, Feb. 17.

E. F. Moon, the former Australian Davis Cup player has reached the quarter-final of the Philippines All-Corner Tennis Championship as a result of a victory over Felix Ampon, former Philippines champion by the scores of 4-6, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2.

Moon is scheduled to play Mauricio Zamora in the next round, while Leonardo Gavia has to play L. Szwarcz, another Australian competitor.

Manuel Aragon, Number Two in the Philippines Tennis Rankings, today eliminated Toshiharu Yoshioka, the Japanese

star after a fine five-set struggle. As a result he is now in the quarter-finals.

After leading his opponent 6-3, 6-3 in two sets, Yoshioka fell behind, finally losing the next three sets 6-2, 8-6, 6-0.

Shinroku Hayashi, who took Nishimura to five sets in the semi-final of the Japanese National Championship only a few months ago, has displayed remarkable form and has already reached the semi-final. He is scheduled to play again on Thursday.

In spite of Gavia's fine form, and Moon's strong challenge, Hayashi is slight favourite for the title.



## HOTSPURS' COACH

## HARDINGE AS NEW METOR

With the joint purpose of easing the managerial cares of Percy Smith and of training their younger players, Tottenham Hotspur have appointed Harold Hardinge as coach.

On the score of experience alone the new member of the Hotspur staff will be a valuable asset, for Hardinge in his golden prime has worn the playing colours of Newcastle United, Sheffield United and the Arsenal. Winning international honours at cricket as well as at soccer, Hardinge, who is a native of Greenwich, will be chiefly associated in the summer game with the long service he rendered to Kent. After 31 years of cricket he retired from the game at the end of the 1933 season.

The chief duty of Hardinge in his new appointment relates to the charge of the London Combination team, and as Northfleet is the well-known nursery of the Hotspur Club the old international will naturally keep an eye on the players of that club. At present Hardinge is living at Eltham, but before the end of the year it is highly probable that he will take up residence nearer to the scene of his new work.

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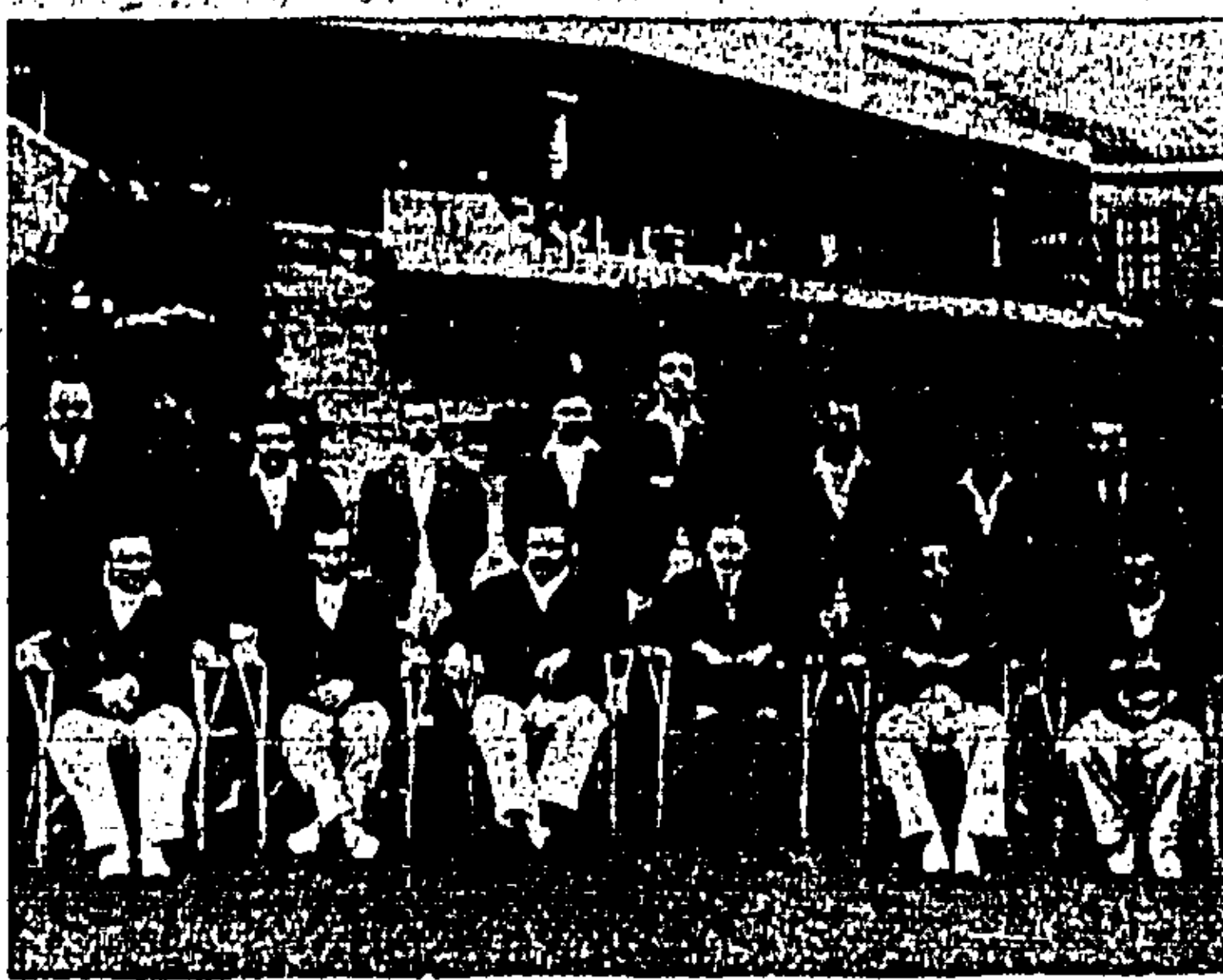
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The Small Units cricket team which opposed the Kowloon Cricket Club and whom beaten on Sunday last. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

## BIG FIGHT ENDS IN FIASCO

## JUDGE PUTS UNTIMELY STOP TO HOMERIC STRUGGLE

## KID BERG GIVEN DECISION OVER GUSTAVE HUMMERY

(By Fred Dartnell)

London, Jan. 24.

The big fight at the Albert Hall last night between Kid Berg, the British light-weight champion, and Gustave Hummery, of France, ended in an unpleasant fiasco.

For eight rounds the spectators had been treated to one of the fiercest struggles ever seen in this famous ring. Both men indulged in one long crescendo of hitting, in which there was hardly a moment's breathing space.

They are hustlers of the highest class, and the fortunes of war swung invitingly from one to the other. I thought at the end of the sixth round Hummery, by virtue of his harder hitting, was gradually putting up a lead on points.

## DAMAGE NOT SERIOUS

His left eye had been cut in a ferocious interchange of punches, but the damage was not enough to handicap him and it did not affect in the slightest his eager desire to go in and batter down an adversary who was obsessed with the same good intention.

Judge of the surprise of everybody, fighters and spectators alike, when at the end of the eighth round, which had matched its predecessors for its intensive force and speed, the judge examined Hummery's eye and signalled that the fight was over. When Hummery realised what had occurred he danced with rage and his seconds had much to do to keep him from rushing across the ring to engage in an unofficial combat with Berg, to whom the verdict had been given.

## GREAT OVATION FOR HUMERY

After a while Hummery was reluctantly brought to reason and the acceptance of authority, which on this occasion seemed to me to have made a faux pas. He shook hands with Berg and tears were suspiciously near.

The spectators, certain that justice had nodded for once and that a glorious fighting finish had been prevented, gave Hummery an ovation that lasted nearly two minutes. He deserved it. I was surprised that Berg was able to maintain the tremendous pace of this Homeric struggle.

How it would all have ended I cannot say, but Hummery appeared to be leading when the unhappy intervention came with only two rounds to go.

It was unfortunate, too, from the patrons point of view, that two more fights were cut short of the appointed time.

When George Daly, of London,

met Norman Snow, of Northampton, the fight was proceeding in a clever and exhilarating fashion.

But Snow had received a cut on the mouth, and at the end of the sixth round the referee stopped the bout with no more reason to my way of thinking than that given for the stoppage of the other contest.

I think Daly was winning on points. Yet a third bout was also stopped, and this time for a foul that was not apparent to the majority of those at the ringside. Altogether, a very unsatisfactory night's boxing that had promised so well.

## REFEREE'S STATEMENT

Mr. Deyong, the referee, stated afterwards "The cut over Hummery's eye was a very nasty one. It is when boxers go on fighting with such an injury that they become blind. I was absolutely justified in stopping the fight."

Mr. Deyong added that, in his opinion, Berg had a lead on points. Hummery, in broken English, said to a reporter: "No, sir, they should not have stopped the fight. I am just as fit now as when I started."

## AT LAST!

## AYR BEATEN BY KING'S PARK

## BURNLEY WINS CUP REPLAY

London, Feb. 19.  
After six hours and 40 minutes of football, spread over four games, the King's Park-Ayr Scottish Cup tie has finally been settled.

In the third replay of this second round match to-day, King's Park defeated Ayr by the odd goal in three, and thus earn the right to play the Airdrieonians on the latter's ground on Saturday.

Burnley easily polished off Notts Forest in the fifth round replay for the English Cup, winning by three clear goals. On Saturday last at Nottingham, the teams drew one-all.

There are still three more fifth round ties to be decided, but the

## TO BEAT THE BOOK

(By "Robin")

## HOME:—

Everton  
Stoke  
Tottenham  
Bolton  
Brentford  
Norwich  
Brighton  
Charlton  
Reading  
Chester  
Hull  
N. Brighton

## AWAY:—

Sheffield  
West Ham  
Tranmere  
Aldershot  
Gateshead

## DRAW:—

Arsenal  
Aldershot  
Gateshead

## OUR FORECAST

## LEAGUE &amp; CUP

The following is the special Telegraph forecast for Saturday's English League and Scottish Cup football matches.

## FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham v Liverpool  
Everton v Aston V.  
Leeds v Derby  
Huddersfield v Chelsea  
Manchester v Arsenal  
Middlesbrough v Blackburn  
Preston v Leicester  
Sheff Wednesd v Leeds  
Stoke v Portsmouth  
Tottenham v Sunderland  
West Bromwich v Wolves

## SECOND DIVISION.

Bolton v West Vale  
Bradford v Hull  
Brentford v Bradford C.  
Burley v Swansea  
Fulham v Notts F.  
Newcastle v West Ham  
Norwich v Blackpool  
Notts C. v Sheffield  
Oldham v Manchester U.

Plymouth v Bury  
Southampton v Barnsley  
Tottenham v Burnley

## THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Bournemouth v Watford  
Brighton v Cardiff  
Bristol R. v Torquay  
Bristol T. v Queen's Park  
Charlton v Millwall  
Coventry v Crystal P.  
Gillingham v Bristol C.  
Luton v Aldershot  
Northampton v Newport  
Reading v Exeter  
Southend v Swindon

## THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Accrington v Gateshead  
Barrow v Carlisle  
Barnsley v Doncaster  
Chester v Lincoln  
Darlington v Stockport  
Halifax v Southport  
Hull v Rochdale  
N. Brighton v Hartlepool  
Rotherham v Wrexham  
Walsall v Tranmere  
York v Crewe

## SCOTTISH CUP

Third Round  
Rangers v St. Mirren  
Aberdeen v Hibernian  
Dundee Thistle v St. Johnstone  
Airdrie v King's Park  
Brechin v Hamilton  
Hearts v Dundee

revised draw for the quarter-finals which included to-day's result is given below.

Everton v Tottenham or Bolton  
West Brom. v Bristol C. or Everton  
Wednesday v Arsenal  
Burnley v Blackburn or Birmingham

## OUR "FORM" GUIDE

## How Your Team Has Been Faring In League

The following table reveals how each team in the four divisions of the English league have fared to date, the results including their last five more matches up to yesterday.

The first figure in each case, of course, is that of the team concerned.

## FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham	2-2	0-0	0-0	1-3	3-0
Derby C.	2-2	1-1	1-1	3-1	2-2
Leeds	3-3	1-1	0-3	2-4	1-3
Aston Villa	1-1	5-0	1-0	0-0	5-2
Chelsea	0-1	2-2	3-1	0-0	1-3
Middlesbrough	3-0	5-3	2-0	2-6	0-0
Leicester	1-3	1-0	0-5	3-6	0-2
Liverpool	0-2	0-2	2-1	4-2	1-1
Portsmouth	1-1	1-0	1-2	0-2	0-3
Preston	2-2	4-3	2-1	0-0	0-0
Wednesday	1-0	3-5	2-2	1-4	3-0
Sunderland	0-0	2-2	1-3	2-0	0-0
Tottenham	0-0	2-6	1-3	0-1	2-2
West Bromwich	0-3	0-3	0-3	2-0	1-1
Wolves	6-2	1-2	0-3	2-5	2-3
Blackburn	1-5	3-0	2-2	3-1	1-3
Arsenal	2-0	3-0	3-0	4-1	0-3
Grimby	0-1	1-3	3-0	3-1	2-3
Stoke	0-0	1-1	2-0	0-2	3-1
Huddersfield	0-0	3-4	1-1	3-1	3-2
Everton	2-2	2-2	3-1	1-1	5-2
Manchester C.	0-1	0-0	0-2	6-3	6-2

## SECOND DIVISION.

Bradford	0-3	1-3	1-2	0-0	4-2
Brentford	3-0	0-2	2-1	1-4	2-1
Burnley	4-0	1-1	0-2	0-0	2-2
Bury	2-1	0-1	4-1	2-1	2-4
Fulham	1-1	3-0	1-1	1-2	2-1
Manchester U.	3-0	3-3	2-0	2-3	0-1
Notts F.	0-2	2-0	0-1	0-5	2-3
Oldham	0-2	1-2	1-2	1-4	0-2
Port Vale	4-0	1-2	2-1	2-1	2-0
Barnsley	0-0	0-4	0-2	0-6	4-1
Norwich	3-1	3-0	3-2	2-0	0-1
Southampton	2-0	1-2	1-3	1-1	1-5
Blackpool	1-0	2-1	1-1	0-0	1-1
Plymouth	2-2	2-1	0-3	0-1	1-4
Bradford C.	1-3	1-1	1-1	1-1	2-0
Newcastle	1-1	3-1	3-0	0-2	1-1
Sheff Wednesd.	1-1	2-1	2-1	1-1	1-1
Notts C.	2-1	1-5	3-1	3-2	0-2
Hull	2-2	1-0	5-0	1-2	1-2
West Ham	2-0	0-3	2-1	1-0	1-0

## THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Aldershot	1-2	3-0	0-0	1-1	1-0
Brighton	0-3	5-1	0-3	2-2	0-1
Bristol C.	1-4	2-1	0-3	4-3	1-1
Cardiff	2-2	1-1	1-2	1-1	1-3
Clapton O.	0-3	0-1	1-1	3-3	0-3
Coventry	0-2	5-0	0-2	1-1	3-1
Exeter	3-0	0-0	2-0	3-0	2-0
Gillingham	1-2	2-1	1-1	0-0	1-1
Luton	2-2	2-2	0-3	3-1	1-0
Swindon	1-2	0-3	2-1	2-2	0-1
Crystal P.	1-0	2-2	1-0	3-5	1-2
Bristol R.	7-1	2-1	0-2	5-3	0-3
Watford	2-0	1-1	3-1	2-3	1-1
Charlton	4-2	3-0	2-0	3-1	2-1
Reading	1-1	2-1	1-1	1-0	1-2
Northampton	2-1	1-3	0-0	0-1	1-1
Newport	1-4	1-2	0-5	3-3	0-5
Torquay	2-1	1-1	3-0	1-3	2-0
Southend	1-2	0-3	0-1	2-0	0-2
Queen's P. R.	2-2	1-5	3-0	0-2	2-0
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Millwall	0-0	2-1	2-4	1-3	1-3

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Gateshead	0-5	2-1	1-2	3-2	0-3
Halifax	4-2	1-1	3-2	1-2	0-5
Lincoln	2-3	2-2	2-3	0-5	0-1
Rotherham	1-2	4-1	3-1	5-0	3-3
Stockport	4-0	3-2	0-4	2-3	2-3
Tranmere	2-2	0-1	1-1	2-1	2-3
Walsall	2-3	2-4	5-0	6-1	0-0
Wrexham	3-3	2-2	1-1	2-2	0-0
New Brighton	4-2	1-0	4-5	0-0	1-7
Doncaster	5-0	5-1	2-0	2-1	1-1
York	2-4	1-1	3-0	1-2	1-3
Sheff. U.	3-1	1-5	5-1	2-2	1-1
Manfield	1-2	4-2	0-0	2-2	2-2
Rochdale	0-3	1-1	1-3	0-0	0-2
Chesterfield	1-2	0-0	1-1	3-2	2-0
Southport	0-0	0-0	0-3	0-0	1-1
Carlisle	3-0	2-4	1-4	1-0	0-3
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Splendid bowling by Lt. C. C. Garthwaite and C. S. M. Elvin caused the collapse of the Volunteers in both their innings, and enabled the United Services to win by 119 runs in the two-day fixture which was concluded on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground yesterday.

R. H. Griffiths made a valiant effort to save his side, and his score of 65 was the result of a polished innings, easily the best in the match.

When the Volunteers resumed their first innings yesterday, Lt. Garthwaite ran through the side, and finished up with the excellent figures of six wickets for 24 runs.

The United Services declared their second innings closed after losing two wickets for 80 runs. Capt. L. J. Walsh and Lt.-Col. Newsom, who opened the batting, played exhilarating cricket, hitting the bowling to all parts of the field.

Set with 252 runs to make, the Volunteers collapsed again, in spite of a brilliant innings by R. H. Griffiths. C. S. M. Elvin bowled exceedingly well to take five wickets for only 18 runs. Scores:

United Services 1st. Innings—264.  
Volunteers—1st Innings

H. Owen Hughes, b Bonavia	31
E. C. Fincher, c Clayton, b	31
R. H. Griffiths, b Garthwaite	65
E. J. R. Mitchell, b Garthwaite	9
I. S. Forbes, b Garthwaite	0
A. K. Mackenzie, b.w. b Garthwaite	7
G. A. Gutierrez, c Clayton, b	1
Garthwaite	6
A. P. Pereira, b Garthwaite	6
J. E. Potter, b Elvin	2
W. K. Robinson, b.w. b Elvin	2
G. E. H. Divett, not out	22
Extras	22

Total ..... 92  
Fall of wickets—1 for 12; 2 for 15; 3 for 25; 4 for 25; 5 for 33; 6 for 39; 7 for 51; 8 for 69; 9 for 71; 10 for 92.

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Garthwaite	11	4	24	6
Bonavia	3	1	5	1
Ballard	5	3	17	1
Elvin	5	2	10	3
Newsom	2	1	4	1

United Services—2nd. Innings  
Lt.-Col. Newsom, c Mitchell, b  
Owen Hughes ..... 20  
Capt. Walsh, c Mitchell, b  
Pereira ..... 37  
Mid. David, not out ..... 12  
Extras ..... 5

Total (for 2 wks. dec.) ..... 80  
Fall of wickets—1 for 51; 2 for 80.

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
W. K. Robinson	3	1	31	1
H. Owen Hughes	5	1	28	1
A. P. Pereira	2.5	1	18	1

Volunteers—2nd. Innings  
E. C. Fincher, b Ballard ..... 31  
Garthwaite ..... 0  
R. H. Griffiths, b Bonavia ..... 65  
H. Owen Hughes, c David, b  
Elvin ..... 4  
A. K. Mackenzie, b David ..... 4  
I. S. Forbes, c Newsom, b Elvin ..... 15  
G. A. Gutierrez, c and b Ballard ..... 2  
A. P. Pereira, b Elvin ..... 2  
J. E. Potter, b Clayton, b Elvin ..... 1  
E. Bevan, not out ..... 0  
Extras ..... 8

Total ..... 133  
Fall of wickets—1 for 5; 2 for 65; 3 for 81; 4 for 85; 5 for 111; 6 for 111; 7 for 119; 8 for 123; 9 for 133; 10 for 133.

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bonavia	6	3	35	1
Garthwaite	8	2	28	1
Ballard	12.4	3	35	2
Elvin	8	2	18	5
David	4	1	8	1



A. W. CARR

CARR MAY  
GO BACKJOINT CAPTAIN  
OF NOTTS

London, Jan. 24.

Will A. W. Carr—who was deposed from the captaincy of the Notts County cricket team on account of his attitude to "bodyline" bowling—be re-elected, to share the leadership? This is a suggestion now being discussed in a new effort to end the crisis in the club's affairs which has followed the members' "no-confidence" vote in the committee.

The proposal is that Carr should be nominated for membership of the new committee, and be appointed joint captain.

## TO PLEASE THE COUNTRIES

It is urged that, if this were done, difficulties with counties which are opposed to the policy supported by Carr in the matter of fast bowling might be overcome.

Carr, it will be recalled, resigned from the Committee immediately after the withdrawal of Vooz from the Notts-Australian match—the game which brought about the crisis caused by the Australian protests and the Notts Committee's apology for Vooz's bowling.

Carr's deposition as captain preceded the "no-confidence" meeting.

## A DIFFICULTY SOLVED

A way out of the difficulty regarding the rule which prevents the election of anybody to the committee unless nominated by Dec. 1, has been found.

Another special meeting of members is to be held, at which an amendment will be made to the rule, and the annual meeting, at which the present committee's resignation becomes effective, will approve the amended rule and elect a new committee.

Yesterday's talks resulted in agreement on the nomination of Mr. H. S. Adams (who seconded the "No confidence" motion), Mr. Harry Woolley (who witnessed Vooz's statement repudiating that he was unfit when he was withdrawn from the Notts-Australian match) and Sir Harold Bowden.

## "PERSECUTION"

INCOME TAX CHARGE  
AGAINST ANDREW MELLON

Pittsburgh, Feb. 19.

The hearing of the Government's claim against Andrew Mellon for \$3,000,000 arrears in income tax payments opened here today.

Mr. Mellon was described by his attorney as a kindly philanthropist and the victim of political persecution. His defence is that the Government has not taken his stock exchange losses into account in estimating his income.

Mr. Mellon listened intently to allegations that he skillfully and deliberately avoided tax payments.—*Reuter*.

HOCKEY  
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The wedding of Miss Margaret Woolley, the Interport hockey player and captain of the St. Andrew's Club Ladies team, and Mr. George A. White, a popular figure at the Kowloon Cricket Club, will take place at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon at 3.30 p.m. to-morrow.

Miss Woolley, who scored the only goal of the match to beat the Shanghai Ladies in the recent Interport match for the White Challenge Shield, first played hockey in 1927, appearing at inside-left for the Kowloon Ladies Hockey Club. She remained with this team until 1930 when the St. Andrew's Club Ladies team was formed. She played in their first match in the Caer Clark Cup competition at centre-forward in which position she has remained ever since.

Miss Woolley has played for the Roast of the Caer Clark Cup League against the Champions every season since the inception of the tournament in 1929.

A very capable leader, Miss Woolley has scored 11 goals for the Saints in the Caer Clark Cup to date this season.

Three of Miss Woolley's sisters, Miss E. Woolley, Miss P. Woolley and Miss I. L. Woolley, the Interport left full back, are also leading lights in local ladies' hockey.

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Mr. H. Y. Liang	1	1	—
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## WINNING JOCKEYS

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V. V. Needa	7	5	4
Mr. Marshall	5	4	5
D. S. Li	5	2	7

The F.A.  
Fine  
MillwallNOVEL POINT IN  
FOOTBALL LAW

London, Jan. 24.

The Football Association Emergency Committee will report to the F.A. Council next Monday that they have considered the report of the referee as to misconduct of spectators at the Millwall v. Luton match on Dec. 15, and

"having regard to previous cases of improper conduct at the ground," have decided that the Millwall club be fined £50.

This decision bears out a forecast made a week ago in the *News Chronicle* to the effect that the Football Association would in future impose a new penalty on clubs whose grounds are reported for misconduct of spectators. The practice with few exceptions has been that of closing the ground for a certain period.

Other business at Monday's Council meeting includes the draw for the

## ARSENAL AND WALKER

The position as regards Tommy Walker, the Hearts of Midlothian forward, and the Arsenal (wires a well-informed Edinburgh Correspondent) is that the Arsenal want Walker and that the Hearts directors are agreeable to transfer the player if they get their terms.

## QUESTION AND ANSWER

The referees' committee will report to the Council that they have given a decision upon a novel point raised by the Durham F.A. The Association asked for a ruling on this question.

Just prior to the commencement of a game, when the teams are lining up for the kick-off, a player strikes an opponent. Should the player be sent off the field and another player allowed to take his place?

The Referees' Committee answered this question by referring the Durham F.A. to Law 2 of the laws of the game, which provides that the game shall be commenced by a place-kick from the centre of the field. Until the game has commenced the referee has not the power to send a player off the field.

The Referees' Committee have decided to take no further action regarding their proposals that in the F.A. Cup Competition referees and linesmen should be watched by a member of the Committee and report to the F.A.

B. L. Tao ..... 2 4 —  
H. C. Ph ..... 2 2 1  
C. Encarnacao ..... 2 2 1  
W. H. S. Davis ..... 2 — 1  
Y. T. Fung ..... 2 — —  
Y. S. Sun ..... 1 3 4  
T. P. K. Ho ..... 1 — 3  
G. Neugebauer ..... 1 — 1  
Norman Delt ..... 1 2 2  
P. P. Botelho ..... 1 — 1  
A. J. P. Heard ..... 1 — 1  
E. O. Butler ..... 1 — 1  
Don Black ..... 1 — 1  
B. A. Froulx ..... 1 — 2  
R. H. Charles ..... 1 — —  
Tang Man-wa ..... 1 — —  
G. W. Sewell ..... 1 — —  
W. H. Choy ..... 1 — —  
A. Wall ..... — — —  
H. P. Chanson ..... — — —  
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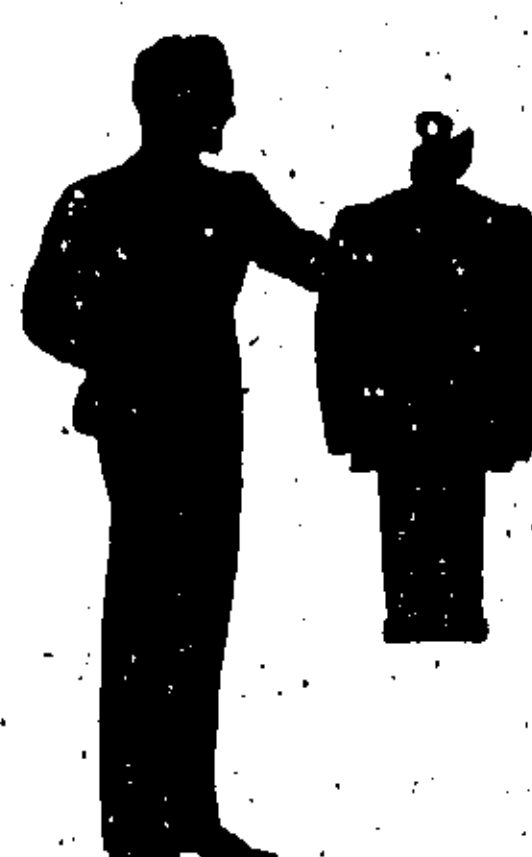
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By MARY RAYMOND

## CHAPTER XLV

Detective Shannon came downstairs at midnight to find Peter Kendall waiting for him. Peter's hair was rumpled, his eyes were strained and anxious, but his eyes were eager. "I got the call you sent," he said.

"I'm sorry you made the trip. I could have told you over the telephone." The light died in Peter's eyes. "I thought you had news for me." "We have, Mr. Kendall. We know where your wife is. That is, we know the neighbourhood she is living in."

"Then why can't you find her?" "We expect to. The difficulty is, that the area is a nest of apartment buildings. Put every man you have on the job. Move heaven and earth."

Detective Shannon told Peter what had happened. A girl had phoned for a cab in a hurry from a house at Angelade. She lived on Roland street, but instead of going home had left the cab at a drug store.

"What about the home in Ingle-side? What did you find out there?" Peter's voice was hoarse with anxiety. "I found that a man, his sister and two children live there. The neighbours state the entire family is spending the holidays out of town. The place was closed tight as wax. We're investigating a possibility that the driver went to another house. The homes in the section are similar. We'll make inquiries at this place as soon as the family returns. Meanwhile, we expect to find her."

"You're sure she is my wife?" "The driver is positive she is the same girl he drove away from your apartment that morning. He identified the picture of her. It was just a coincidence, Mr. Kendall, that this driver was sent to answer her call to-night."

"We'll work as fast as we can. It may be only a few days before we find her." Peter drove home. The thought of Ann telephoning from somewhere in a fearful hurry worried him. She must have been in trouble of some kind. She was so little, so helpless to be alone. She needed to be protected.

He would see Sarah to-morrow. Perhaps Ann had communicated with her. He would make Sarah see that she must tell him if she had had news, whatever it might be. Sarah telephoned Mac next day to say, "I can't meet you for lunch, honey. I'm having caviar with Peter Kendall instead of steak and onions with you."

"Two-timing me already?" Mac's voice came serious. "He probably thinks you are holding out on him about Ann."

"Poor fellow," Sarah said. "He must be in love with her." "I knew that all along," Mac said. Sarah told Mac that night that Peter Kendall was "really pathetic."

Sarah said, "Some detective who has been working on the case has an idea he's found her. It's probably just another false clue."

Peter's all broken up," Sarah went on thoughtfully. "He's so thin and worn. It breaks my heart. I told him I was pretty sure Valeria Bennett is at the bottom of the day business. I told him about the day I was having lunch with Ann, and how Valeria went out of her way to tell Ann that Peter was decorating her home."

"How did he take that?" "He was terribly angry with Valeria. I think I asked him how he could think of anything he had understood. He couldn't think of a thing. Somebody at the door."

"Nobody at all. Just Tony," Mac said, as he answered the ring. "Tony did not respond to a chair, rattle. He came into a chair. 'I thought maybe you had a drink here.'"

"Haven't you better stay on the wagon until Saturday and get that rush job out you were telling me that?" "This isn't the beginning of a bender, you fool," Tony said irritably. "I need a drink. This thing of Ann being swallowed up so many months has gotten on my nerves."

"Well, girls have hidden out in large cities before. I guess if Ann wanted to she could," Sarah said. "What's your specific worry, Tony? Have you heard anything?"

"I happened to be down at the police department this afternoon. A boy I know had been pulled in on a reckless driving charge. While he was there, two policemen came in, talking about a girl."

"A girl?" Mac queried, and waited. "A girl they pulled out of the river," Tony said soberly. "They didn't know who she was." "That's foolish," Sarah said sharply, looking at Mac for reassurance, not daring to meet Tony's scared eyes. "Ann isn't that kind. You know she isn't, Tony. I can't imagine how you ever thought it might be Ann."

"She's young like this girl," he said. "She was sick and unhappy." Sarah's eyes reflected the fear in Tony's grim picture. "What do police say about her?" Mac asked quietly. "She's about Ann's size and her hair is red."

Sarah shivered. Mac came over, put his arms about her and held her close against him. "A sensible person does his worrying afterward," Mac said. "Sure, I know," Tony said. "I'm just an imaginative nut."

"Mac and I'll go with you," Sarah said. "There are some things I couldn't face," Tony said, "Sarah, pour me out a small drink, will you?"

A few minutes later they crowded into Tony's car. "Oh, don't let it be Ann!" Sarah was praying. Over and over again. "Don't let it be Ann!"

She was thinking of the look in Peter Kendall's eyes when she said, "No, I haven't heard a word from Ann. No one has."

They reached the hospital and were moving along the quiet corridor. The odour of ether was stinging Sarah's throat, making her feel ill.

A girl at the desk directed them to the fourth floor. Another girl there gave them a room number. "Steady now," Sarah said. Mac, as they stepped inside the room, as a nurse moved aside and Sarah caught a glimpse of bright hair, smoothed back from a pale brow. The girl's face was turned toward the window.

Sarah went nearer, with the dreadful feeling of something clutching at her throat. It was like moving in some horrible nightmare. And then she was staring down at the small, white face. The girl whose eyes were closed was not Ann.

Sarah met Tony's eyes and shook her head. No words came. The nurse followed them from the room. "She'll pull through if she makes a good fight. The trouble is, she doesn't seem interested in living. She had been out of work for months and was almost starved. We haven't found out her name yet."

Because she knew Peter would be reading in the morning about the girl with red hair who had leaped into the river, Sarah telephoned him when she reached home. "You thought she was Ann?" Peter cried.

"We were afraid she might be. I didn't want you to think that, even for a moment." "It was good of you to call," Peter said. His voice was still agitated.

The next day Sarah inquired at the hospital about the sick girl. "She's getting along fine," the nurse said. "Mr. Kendall heard of the case and ordered one of the best rooms for her. He's going to see her here, he gets a good job when she leaves here."

Sarah put down the telephone and burst into tears. Blessed Peter Kendall! Oh, how could Ann have left anyone who loved her like that?"

(To Be Continued.)

## CHARITABLE WORK

## BENEVOLENT SOCIETY'S ANNUAL REPORT

The forty-fifth annual report of the Hongkong Benevolent Society, which has just been issued, shows a record of much good work during the year 1934. It is stated that the period has been one of the most difficult years the Society has ever known, the funds having been barely sufficient to meet the really appalling number of demands for help. The Society thus has not been able to give quite as much help as it would have liked.

Figures of expenditure show that in relief alone, the total has risen from \$5,820.75 in 1932 to \$7,014.32 in 1933, and then to \$7,547.52 last year. Less, however, was spent on passages, the total in 1934 being \$314.51. Education (\$3,463.41) was still one of the bigger items.

Increase in Need The report states: A steady increase in the amount required for relief will be noted. This includes the regular monthly allowances and the occasional relief given at our room in Wanchai.

It will be observed that the amount spent on passages and landing money in 1933 greatly exceeds that spent either in 1932 or in 1934. In 1933, as local employment became harder to find, we were forced to send people back to their own countries, and the expenditure accordingly increased. In 1934 the number of applicants for passages was even greater, but we were compelled to limit our expenditure in that direction as the requests for immediate relief in the matter of education, rent, and food became more and more insistent. However, the Government, St. Andrew's Society, and St. George's Society have generously supplied the funds for passages of special cases brought to their notice, and we are most grateful to them for their assistance.

Our expenditure on education has again increased. The Society now contributes to the education expenses of 29 children. We gratefully acknowledge the considerable which the Directors of the following schools have allowed us in the matter of fees—Diocesan Boys' School, Diocesan Girls' School, St. Joseph's College, Canonian Institute, La Salle College, St. Mary's

School, and St. Louis Industrial School.

Many New Cases Eighty-four new cases came to us during the year, as against sixty-two the previous year, and this in spite of the fact that since March, 1934, when the Mercantile Marine Assistance Fund came into being, we no longer help seamen.

It may not be generally known that we maintain a room where homeless and destitute people can be housed at the Society's expense. Formerly this room would remain empty for considerable periods, but during the whole of last year it has been untenanted only for a few weeks.

We would like to convey our appreciation and thanks to all those who have honoured the Society by

## CORRESPONDENCE

## The Ballinese Dancers

The Editor, Hongkong Telegraph

Sir.—Referring to the advertisement appearing in to-day's issue of your esteemed paper, I wish to particularly call the attention of the public of Hongkong to the Ballinese dancers who, headed by Ratu Idja and Dewi Ratna, open a short season at the Queen's Theatre on Wednesday, March 6, under the management of Mr. L. van Sant.

The principals Ratu Idja and Dewi Ratna are great exponents of the island of Bali, one of the gems of the Netherlands Indian archipelago; their performances are reputed to be of perfection indeed. They are assisted by a group of dancers whose performances are likewise of the highest standard.

The music is provided by a gamelan orchestra which is one of the best to be found in the Netherlands Indies.

Straits papers as well as Java papers have been most eulogistic about these wonderful performances, and I would recommend those in Hongkong who are artistically inclined and desire to acquaint themselves with a form of culture of another country to attend a performance: I can assure everybody that they will not be disappointed.

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## FORTHCOMING EVENT

## CONCERT ARRANGED IN AID OF SEA SCOUTS

With the object of raising funds for the Troop and increasing the popularity of the Sea Scouts as a vehicle for the instruction and amusement of our youth, a concert has been arranged for Saturday, February 23, at the Seamen's Institute, the Headquarters of the Troop, commencing at 8.30 p.m. sharp.

In addition to several items by the Scouts themselves, many well known local artists are giving their assistance. Mrs. Bruce Wilson, Messrs W. J. T. Phelps, W. H. Billing and L. W. Peckham are contributing vocal items, and Miss I. Phelps and Mr. N. Moran will play on the piano and violin respectively; while Mr. G. H. Ash, an increasingly popular humorist, will also appear. The second appearance of the Girls' Glee Party, and of Mr. G. Evans' Male Voice Party, are attractive items. Miss I. Phelps, Mr. G. Dudley Bartlett and Mr. G. Evans will be the accompanists, and an excellent programme is assured.

The Sea Scouts are at present few in numbers, but enthusiastic in spirit, and Mr. H. W. Scott, Scout Master, who is arranging this concert, hopes soon to enrol additional members from the youth of all nationalities in the Colony.

For this purpose funds are badly needed, and all who are interested in the movement, and the Boy Scouts' movement generally, are urged to support the concert.

In Memoriam donations, and all those who from time to time have sent us gifts of clothing.

We are deeply grateful to the following for their invaluable assistance to the Hongkong Government, to various Clubs and Associations, for their generous grants, to the Police for their willing co-operation and advice, to other charitable organisations for their collaboration with us in many of our cases, to Mr. Hampden Ross for so kindly auditing the accounts, and to the Press for the privileges they have allowed us.

A list of the many nationalities benefited, and some typical cases which have obtained assistance, are included in the statement.

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## CINEMA NEWS

## NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

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"Have A Heart" A new star has skyrocketed into the Hollywood heavens, and in the vivid brilliance of her performance, Jean Parker wins the highest screen laurels with her first starring vehicle, "Have A Heart", Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production opening its local engagement to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre. No wonder studio executives decided to give her an acting rating with Greta Garbo, Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford, Helen Hayes and other distinguished stars. She proves herself capable of the most difficult emotional roles. As "Sally", a young dancer, who is made a cripple through a tragic accident, Miss Parker stirred the first night audience with her depth of feeling and sensitive expression. The story of her romance with James Dunn playing Jimmie Flaherty, employee of an ice cream company whose heart is as warm as its product is cold, is a blend of wholesome simplicity, packed with pathos and comedy. Dunn contributes one of his most outstanding performances in his screen career and is an ideal romantic partner for Miss Parker. Hilarious comedy relief is supplied by Una Merkel and Stuart Erwin, who are again teamed in a comedy which will win bursts of laughter from the audience. Muriel Evans scores in a small role as Helen, the vamping secretary.

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## RADIO PROGRAMMES

EXCHANGE BETWEEN-ROME  
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Tokyo, Feb. 19.

The first exchange of broadcast  
programmes between Italy and  
Japan has been arranged for  
February 24, when Station JOAK  
Tokyo, will broadcast the address  
of the Italian Ambassador, Signor  
Adriani, to Italy at 12.55 p.m.  
G.M.T., followed by selections of  
Japanese music.The Rome station will broadcast  
to Japan speeches by the Baron  
Aloisi and Secretary Harima of  
the Japanese Embassy in Rome, at  
1.50 p.m. G.M.T. The addresses  
will be followed by a description of  
the opera, "Pagliacci" from La  
Scala, Milan.—Reuter.dummy will trump with the queen,  
East discarding another club.The good jack of diamonds  
should be played and another losing  
club discarded from declarer's  
hand. Then a small club from  
dummy is won by declarer with the  
ace, the jack of spades played to  
pick up West's eight spot, and the  
rest of the tricks are the declarer's,  
giving him his contract of six odd.

Today's Contract Problem

South has the contract for  
four spades. West cashes the  
king and ace of clubs, then  
leads the queen, which South  
trumps. How should South  
proceed to play the hand?♠ K Q 8  
♥ 9 6  
♦ K J 5 3  
♣ 7 6 4 2

(Blind) W N E (Blind)

♠ A J 7 5  
♥ A Q  
♦ A 7 6 2  
♣ 8 3

Solution in next issue. 17

CONTRACT  
BRIDGESolution to Previous  
Contract Problem

By W. E. McKenney

We used to say that the thrill  
in contract was the bidding and  
making of a small slam, but I be-  
lieve that I have to correct that.  
The thrill in contract today is the  
bidding of a slam and then making  
it because you receive a fortunate  
opening, or through some tricky  
play.To-day's hand somewhat reminds  
me of a football game, where afumble occurs on about the 10-yard  
line and the opponents grab it and  
run 90 yards for a touch-down.When you look to-day's play over,  
doesn't it seem like a fumble when  
the declarer deliberately lets his  
opponents win a trick that he could  
have trumped?

First let us consider the bidding.

North's bid of two no trump is  
justified, because he has the posi-  
tion for the no trump contract and,  
when South bids three hearts, he is  
justified in bidding four spades to  
show a fit. Then, when South bids  
five spades, he is correct in taking  
the bid to six spades, as he has a  
fit in hearts also.

The Play

West makes a natural opening  
of the jack of hearts. The trick is  
won in dummy with the king. Of  
course, this is a fortunate opening,  
as a club would immediately spell  
defeat for the contract.Declarer's next play should be the  
ace of diamonds from dummy,  
upon which he should discard a  
losing club. Then the queen of  
diamonds should be played and,  
when East plays low, declarer  
should discard another losing club.  
West will win the trick with the  
king and will return the ten of  
hearts, which South will win with  
the queen.The ace and king of spades  
should then be cashed and then the  
ace of hearts played. East fortu-  
nately is out of trump and will  
discard the eight of clubs. The  
four of hearts should now be play-  
ed. West will play the nine and

Duplicate—E. and W. vul.

South West North East

1 ♠ Pass 3 N.T. Pass

2 ♥ Pass 4 ♠ Pass

3 ♠ Pass 6 ♠ Pass

Opening lead—♥ J. 17

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SVEN HEDIN'S  
BIRTHDAY

Nanking, Feb. 20.  
On the occasion of the birthday of Dr. Sven Hedin, the noted Swedish explorer, who has been surveying and mapping the route of a proposed highway system in China's interior, the Nanking Government has decided to confer upon him the Order of Brilliant Jade.

It was for his services in Sinkiang, where he has been for the past several months, that the award is being made.—*Reuter*.

### HOME CELEBRATION

Stockholm, Feb. 19.  
The home of the explorer, Dr. Sven Hedin, was inundated with delegations and deluged with flowers, letters and telegrams to-day, the seventieth birthday of the man who has explored more in the little known parts of Asia than any other living person. Dr. Hedin is at present in Nanking.—*Reuter*.

## CHINA TRADE MISSION

LEAVING TO-DAY FOR  
PHILIPPINES

Shanghai, Feb. 20.  
The Philippine commercial investigation mission, organised by local Chinese merchants, which consists of twenty-six members, is leaving here for Manila via Hongkong, on board the President Jefferson this morning. The mission's object is the cultivating trade relation between Philippines and China.—*Central News*.

## Virtues Vs. Barbarism

MARSHAL CHIANG'S  
PHILOSOPHY

ADVICE TO  
PEOPLE

Nanchang, Feb. 19.  
An interesting speech enunciating the true value of the Chinese traditional virtues embodied in the New Life Movement, promoted by him, was delivered by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, before a big gathering here this morning, in celebration of the first Anniversary of the Movement.

He said that the present occasion, in which we were now celebrating the first anniversary of the New Life Movement, was the result of six years of hard struggle staged by the Government troops with the support of the Kiangsi people, against the Communists. But the freedom of Kiangsi Province from Communist rule was only bought by a very heavy cost of life and property. At least over one million people, men and women, young and old, were either killed, murdered or outraged by the Reds during the period of their six years' domination. The crime could never be forgotten by the present and coming generations of the Kiangsi people.

Marshal Chiang went on to say that since the introduction of the New Life Movement a new foundation of national life for China had been laid, on which the nation was now capable of fighting successfully against the barbarous acts of the Reds. Hence, it was evident that the Chinese traditional virtues, such as propriety, justice, and honour, which were embodied in the New Life Movement, could not only resist successfully this barbarism, vandalism and the like, but were capable of breaking down such difficult opposition.

As was shown in the struggle against Communism in China, the Sun Yat-sen principles, or the San-Min-Chu-I, characterised by the virtues of loyalty, filial piety, kindness, faith, justice and peacefulness, were far superior to the Communist theories of class struggle

## ITALY BARGAIN HUNTING

SPECIAL DUTY  
ANNOUNCED

RESTRICTING  
IMPORTS

Rome, Feb. 19.  
A list of 1,600 articles requiring special licences before they will be allowed to be imported into Italy, was issued to-day.

This is the result of a new decree intended partly to restrict Italy's purchases abroad and partly to provide a bargaining lever to obtain more favourable treatment for Italy's exports.

The "black list" includes coal, machinery, woolen clothing, skins, worked steel, iron, fish, manufacturing cotton, linen, hemp, tobacco, spirits, tea, biscuits and many other commodities. Many of these things are now imported from Great Britain.

The restrictions vary from ten to 35 per cent.

The new duties will come into force on March 31.—*Reuter*.

## BIG ESTATE

LATE MR. LAM WOO  
LEAVES \$818,000

Mr. Lam Woo, alias Lam Kau-chau, the well-known local building contractor, of No. 1 Tramway Path who died on December 27, 1933, has left estate sworn at \$818,700.

Double probate of the will has been granted to his son, Lam Chik-sun, of No. 117 Waterloo Road, Kowloon.

and the like, concluded Marshal Chiang.—*Central News*.

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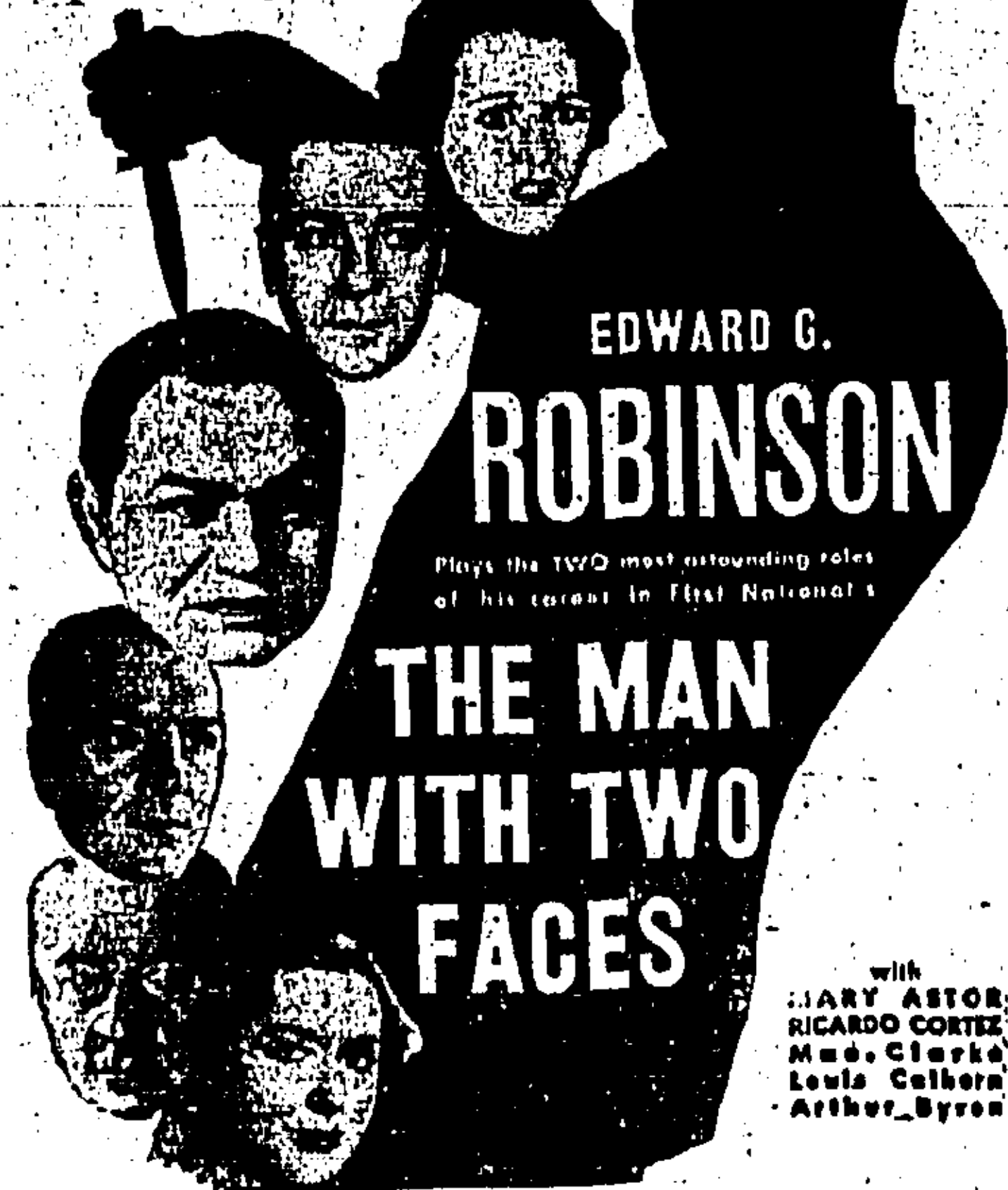
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## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

### LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

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### British Government Securities

War Loan 3 1/2% redm. after 1952 £107 1/4 £107 1/4

### Chinese Bonds

4 1/2% Bonds 1938 (Eng. Iss.) £104 1/4 £104 1/4

4 1/2% Loan 1938 £90 £90 1/4

5% Loan 1912 £80 £87

5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.) £98 1/4 £98 1/4

5% Bonds 1925-47 £98 1/4 £98 1/4

5% S'hai-Nanking Rly. £82 1/4 £83

5% Tient-Pukow Rly. £35 £35

5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan) £20 £20

5% S'hai-Hchow Ningpo Rly. £100 1/4 £100 1/4

5% Honan Rly. £34 £34

5% Hukang Rly. £40 1/4 £47

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5% Lung T'ung U. Rly. £19 £19

5% Hai Rly. 1913 £19 £19

### Foreign Bonds and Banks

German 7% Int. Loan 1924 £72 1/4 £71

Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1907 £70 1/4 £80

Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924 £88 1/4 £88 1/4

H.K. & S'hai Bank (Ldn. Regd.) £131 1/4 £131 1/4

Chartered Bank £5 1/4 £15 1/4

Commercial and Industrial Allied Iron Founders £30 0 £30 0

Associated Elec.

### Industries

Austin Motors ord. sh. 24/- 24/-

Booth 44/6 45/-

British-Amer. Tob. (Bearer) 48/6 48/10 1/4

Canadian Colanese 86/3 86/3

Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer) 117/0 118/1 1/4

Courtauld 18/3 18/6

Distillers 40/0 40/0

Dunlop Rubber 92/0 92/7 1/4

Electric Musical Industries 40/10 40/10

General Electric (England) 32/6 33/7 1/4

Impl. Chem. Ind. 48/- 48/-

Impl. Chem. Ind. Def. 10/- sh. 9/10 10/-

Impl. Tobacco 130/3 137/6

Internat. Nickel no par val. \$23 1/4 \$24

Rolls Royce £1 100/10 107/8

S'hai Elec. Constr. 48/6 49/0

Tate & Lyle 54/6 54/6

Turner & Newson 54/6 55/3

United Steel 27/10 28/-

Watney, Combe & Reid def. ord. 60/3 60/-

Woolworths 5/- 100/- 100/-

### Miscellaneous

Anglo-Dutch Chartd. 16/- sh. 23/6 23/10 1/4

Chartd. 16/- sh. 20/0 20/6

Gula Kalumpung Rubber 21/3 21/6

Pekin Synd. 2/- ord. sh. 1/0 1/9

Rubber Trusts 31/6 31/10 1/4

Southern Railway (Deferred) £22 1/4 \$21 1/4

### Mines

Burma Corp. Rs. 8/6 8/4 1/4

Chosen Corp. 32/6 32/6

Crown Mines 287/0 288/0

Randfontein Estates 53/8 53/8

Spring Mines 188/3 188/0

Sub-Ming 250/3 250/0

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## Philippines' Democracy

EVOLVED OUT OF MAGNA CARTA

AMERICAN INFLUENCE

BY REUEL S. MOORE  
UNITED PRESS STAFF  
CORRESPONDENT

Manila, Feb. 10.  
The new Philippine constitution, written by a popular convention after six months of deliberation, indicated that three and one-half decades of American influence had served to implant thoroughly in the Filipino people the ideals of democracy and individual freedom evolved in the United States as an inheritance from old Magna Carta. Significant also of the long contact of the Philippines with the Occident world was the fact that the convention invoked the "aid of Divine providence" in the preamble of constitution of the only Christian nation in the Far East. Christianity was brought here by the Spaniards four centuries ago.

Although different in composition, and considerably more detailed in its assignment of various powers and functions, the Philippine constitution nevertheless is strikingly similar to that of the United States. It establishes a republican form of government and recites a bill of rights approximating the declaration of civil liberties set forth in the United States constitution.

It sets up three branches of government: the legislative, executive, and judicial, with functions similar to those of the corresponding branches in the United States, although there is one notable departure from the American form in the legislative branch in that a unicameral legislature is provided for. The executive branch is represented in the persons of a president and vice-president.

**SUFFRAGE**  
Universal male suffrage, except for illiterates, is provided for, and in addition, it is set forth that if 300,000 women vote in favour of woman suffrage at a special plebiscite called for that purpose, women will be extended the right of suffrage.

The right of acquiring public lands, natural resources and franchises is limited to Philippine citizens and corporations, as well as the right to acquire private agricultural lands, except by inheritance.

The constitution limits the amount of public land which may be acquired or leased by individuals or corporations, and assigns to the legislature the right to limit the amount of private agricultural land which individuals, corporations or associations may acquire and hold. This provision was the outgrowth of Spanish days, when large agricultural land holdings and the ensue system approximated almost feudal conditions.

**LANGUAGE**  
The constitution provides for the establishment of a national language, with the use of English and Spanish in the interim, as follows:

The national assembly shall take steps toward the development and adoption of a common national language based on one of the existing native languages.

The constitution embodies verbatim the mandatory provisions of the Tydings-McDuffie act. It will be submitted to the President of the United States, who, if it conforms with the Tydings-McDuffie act, shall proclaim its acceptance, whereafter it will be submitted to the people of the islands for approval at a popular plebiscite.

After approval of the constitution election of the officers will be held, whereafter the President of the United States will proclaim the 10-year commonwealth period in effect.

The commonwealth period many observers believe, will not begin until some time in 1936, owing to various formalities in the steps involved.

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LADDERS IN HOSE

NEW things are more annoying than to find that a ladder is starting in one's stocking just as one is going out.

There is no time to change, and a remedy must be found at once or disaster follows. The simplest method of arresting the progress of the ladder is to dab the silk at the end of the ladder with the brush from a bottle of nail varnish, preferably colourless, a cosmetic which most women nowadays have on their dressing tables.

It dries immediately, and, what is most important, it is dependable even after being washed.

## BOYS BEST LIARS

START BEHIND SCRATCH

BUT OVERTAKE RIVALS

Pittsburgh, Feb. 14.  
Boys are more prone to tell lies than girls, Dr. Byrne J. Horton, professor of education at DePaul University, has concluded.

Prof. Horton told the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in convention here, of a study he made of the truthfulness of 5,000 school students, ranging from pupils in the third grade of grammar school to the senior year at college.

Strangely enough, he reported, the boys start out at being more truthful than the girls. In the elementary schools, he reported, the girls are more given to telling lies than are the boys. But before long the boys catch up and sail ahead of the girls.

The boys reach their full power to evade the truth at high school age. "The greatest deceivers are the boys in the high school," Prof. Horton reported. In college, apparently, they have more regard for the truth.

Dr. Horton found that both boys and girls are more truthful in the elementary school than they are in high school.

Three things dominate the urge for deceiving, he said. The first

## France's Air Mail Service

FIVE NEW SHIPS ON ATLANTIC

CONTACT WITH S. AMERICA

By HAROLD ETTINGER

Paris, Feb. 13.  
Within a few months Air France will put a fleet of five planes on the South Atlantic mail service and establish the link between France and South America on a solid commercial basis, with planes flying a regular schedule.

According to Director General Allegre, the scheduled service should begin late in Spring, when two new machines already ordered will be in service and the present fleet of three overhauled and ready to increase the record of Atlantic crossings already to their credit. At present the Santos Dumont is the only plane making regular transatlantic flights. The Cousinet Arc-en-Ciel, in which Mr. Meroz made his remarkable series of flights, is undergoing repairs and will be ready in March, while the latecomer Croix-du-Sud will probably be put back in service in May.

Early in February the new Farman four-motored plane ordered for the South American service will make its first flight, and a few weeks later the company's new Lioré-Olivier will undergo its first tests.

In his announcement, M. Allegre reiterated the statement that the recent negotiations with the German Lufthansa were intended to reach a commercial working agreement, but there was never any question of a merger.

In addition to improvement equipment on the south Atlantic service the French company has announced a big programme of building for the European routes, most French plane construction factories sharing in the orders.—United Press.

## DIVORCE "BOOM"

RENO ANTICIPATES "RECOVERY"

Reno, Nev., Feb. 13.  
Business recovery is well under way, and as a result Reno divorce trade will boom in 1935, leaders in the Nation's "divorce capital" predict.

During hard times family troubles only bind husbands and wives more closely together, but in prosperous years couples have freer rein to follow individual desires, and the result is more business for the divorce courts, long experience has taught local attorneys.

Apartments and hotels in Reno, and nearby dude ranches, reported a large number of advance reservations for early 1935—an unusual trend in that divorce seekers in past years have avoided the winter months in Reno, preferring the warmer months to obtain their "divorce diplomas."

County clerk E. Beemer, reported that 2,941 suits were filed, and 2,789 divorces granted in Reno during 1934, compared to 2,438 suits filed in 1933. Predictions are made that the 1934 increase would be greatly boosted in 1935.—United Press.

seems to be the altruistic motive, a regard for the other person and a desire not to hurt his feelings. The second seems to be the reaction to the prevalent codes of manners. Manners do not permit one to be too outspoken. The third is the egoistic motive, the desire to keep one's self in the best light.

Dr. Horton summarizes his study by saying that as school children grow older, they become "more tactful in social relations and less regardless of the truth."—United Press.

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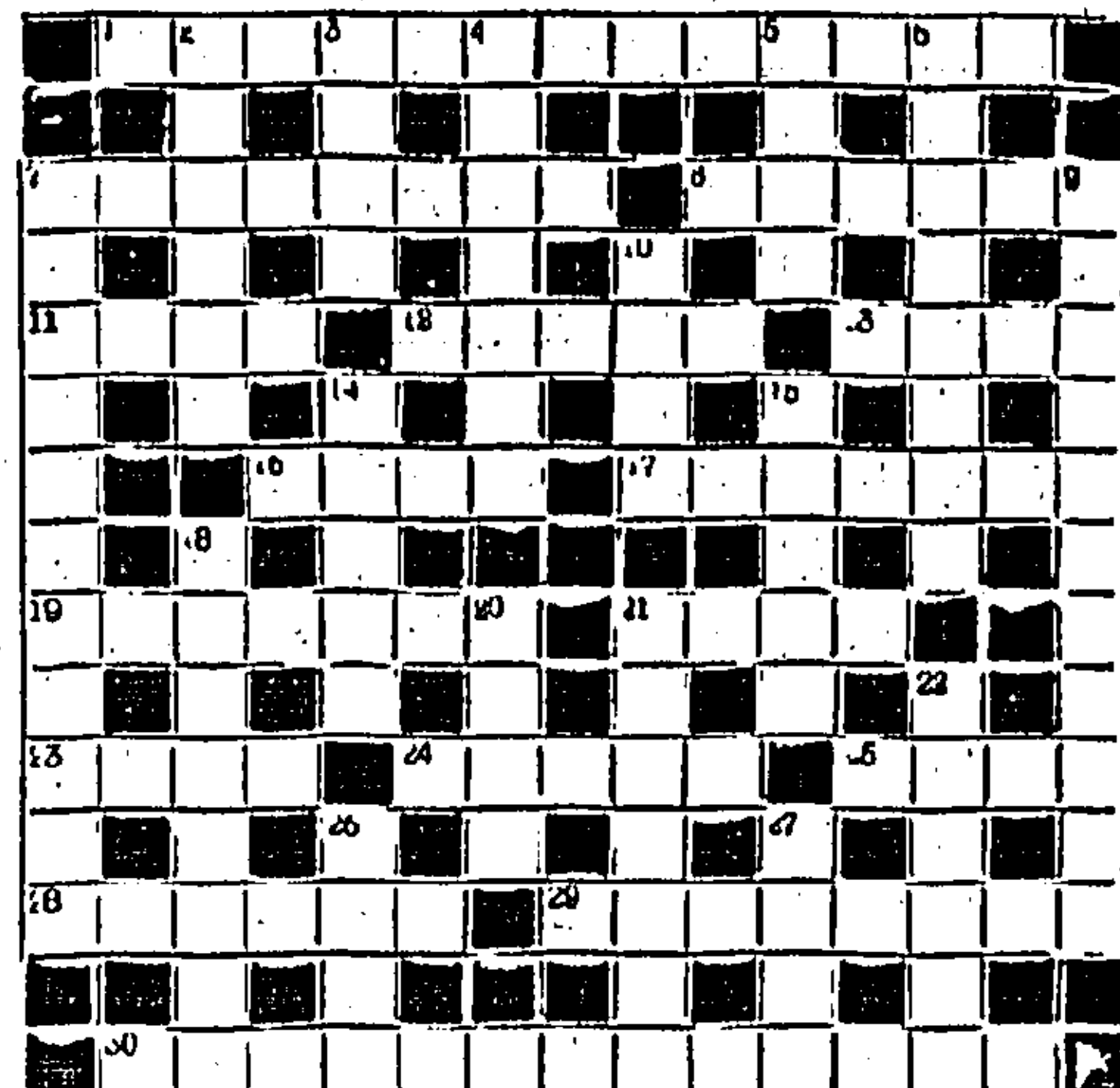
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- 12 There's something radically wrong about this gum.
- 13 Roman author, a little over fifty-four.
- 14 The log of double existence.
- 17 In the Fourteenth Century this French city had a population of nearly 100,000.
- 19 Fair ladies often are, and so Welshmen like cheese.
- 21 An animal in trousers.
- 23 Eau's other name.
- 24 A brief change.
- 25 Whatever the historians may say, this was merely a cloak for Roman occupation.
- 28 Go away, as the variet did for a change.
- 29 Expose to the sun, even when not out early.
- 30 Some show.

Down

- 2 Act upon this.
- 3 Praise for an Archbishop.
- 4 How to study form without going against the rules of the Church.
- 5 Thus disarranged and so shut up.
- 6 These are often divided, but only produce vegetables when divided by 3.14159.
- 7 If you wish to secure this post you must enclose a Postal Order.

9 No, I don't think the carpenter finds this such a vexatious tool to use as one might imagine (hyphen).

10 I go in with a girl to see the opera.

14 Or little account, though the favourite certainly comes in first. Birds have them naturally—and they cost us a lot.

16 A Continental support occupies the centre of the stage, and wilful destruction follows.

20 Said to be a raised floor.

21 He sits with nothing in a corner.

22 Co, man (anag.).

26 Where wives and husbands go to part.

27 You require a twelve-inch base for this.

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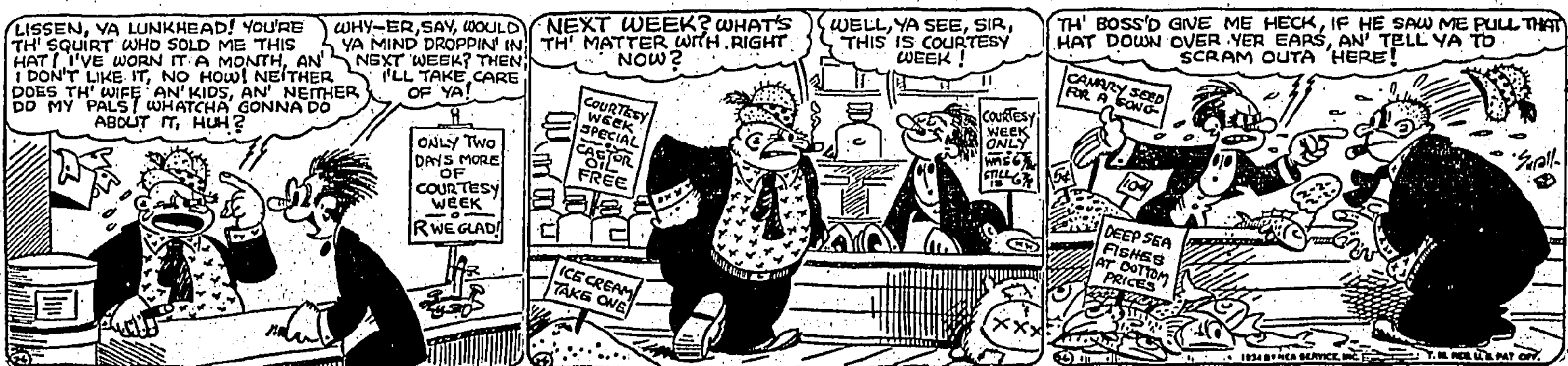
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## LONDON GAYEST

### LUXURY TRADE CENTRE

#### SPENDING ORGY

London, Feb. 12.

Londoners are to-day prouder than ever of their city, which, they claim, has become the gayest European capital and the centre of the world's luxury trade.

Night-clubs, theatres, cinemas, restaurants, shops and other trade and amusement enterprises report business increase.

This spending orgy has been accelerated and intensified by the recent wedding of Princess Marina of Greece and the Duke of Kent. London has been having by far a gayest night life than Paris or any other European capital for several months, Britons say.

Shows, even when mediocre, are sell-outs. Lines of people are to be seen every night at the gallery entrances of West End theatres, waiting patiently the opening of the box-office to buy seats.

Cabarets, although with less attractive floor shows and smaller bands than in large American cities, announce a considerable increase in patronage. Cinemas report capacity houses throughout the series of daily performances, and between 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. it's hardly possible to find room in the cheaper seats.

However, there has been no noteworthy increase in prices. England not being a gold-standard country, Frenchmen, Swiss, Hollanders, Italians, etc., have found that their currencies can buy much more in London than in any other European Capital. Therefore, there has been a considerable influx of temporary visitors from abroad, who have taken advantage of the monetary situation, business men say.

#### ECONOMICAL FUN

They claim that London has replaced Paris chiefly because amusements here cost less, and the expense of the trip is covered by savings effected in purchasing here articles that, if bought at home, would be more expensive.

This reported steady increase of business volume, mostly centred in London, has given this city an undeniable air of prosperity. Every trade and commercial enterprise is benefiting from the augmented tourist traffic, it is said. On the other hand Britons now prefer

to stay at home, because they know that sterling has lost its former high purchasing power.

Jewellers claim 90 per cent. of the world's deals in diamonds are done here, and that more than \$75,000,000 worth of rough stones, have recently changed hands in the neighbourhood of Hatton-Garden, London's market for precious stones.

Furriers claim that London has now taken the place of both Leipzig, Germany, and St. Louis, Mo., as the world's fur trading centre.

They say Canada alone sent £1,500,000 worth of raw furs here this year, which are being finished and sold all over the world for more than £4,000,000, and that the 1934 fur trade has already doubled the £10,000,000 of 1931.

In the art trade, auctioneering firms in the West End say that it is much easier now to sell artistic and literary treasures than before the gold-standard days.—United Press.

## FARMERS WASTING TIME

### USELESS LAND CULTIVATED

#### ABANDONMENT URGED

Washington, Feb. 9.

Federal retirement of 75,000,000 acres of submarginal land is necessary to America's economic and industrial well-being, according to the National Resources Board.

The committee, in its report to President Roosevelt, suggested the Government pay \$375,000,000 during the next 15 years to take this land out of cultivation, transfer the inhabitants to more fertile areas and withdraw homestead privileges from unsuitable acreage.

Retirement of valueless land was the keystone of the board's programme of improving agriculture and industry. Other factors were flood and soil erosion protection, irrigation, extension of federal control to cover public domain used primarily for grazing and development of national and state parks and forest reserves.

The Board recommended partial government control of the mining industry to assist economic stability, minimize waste, maintain wage standards and protect investments.

Necessity for a subsistence home-stead programme to care for families now on submarginal land was stressed. The government, it said, should foster decentralization of industry to supply farmers with parttime employment.

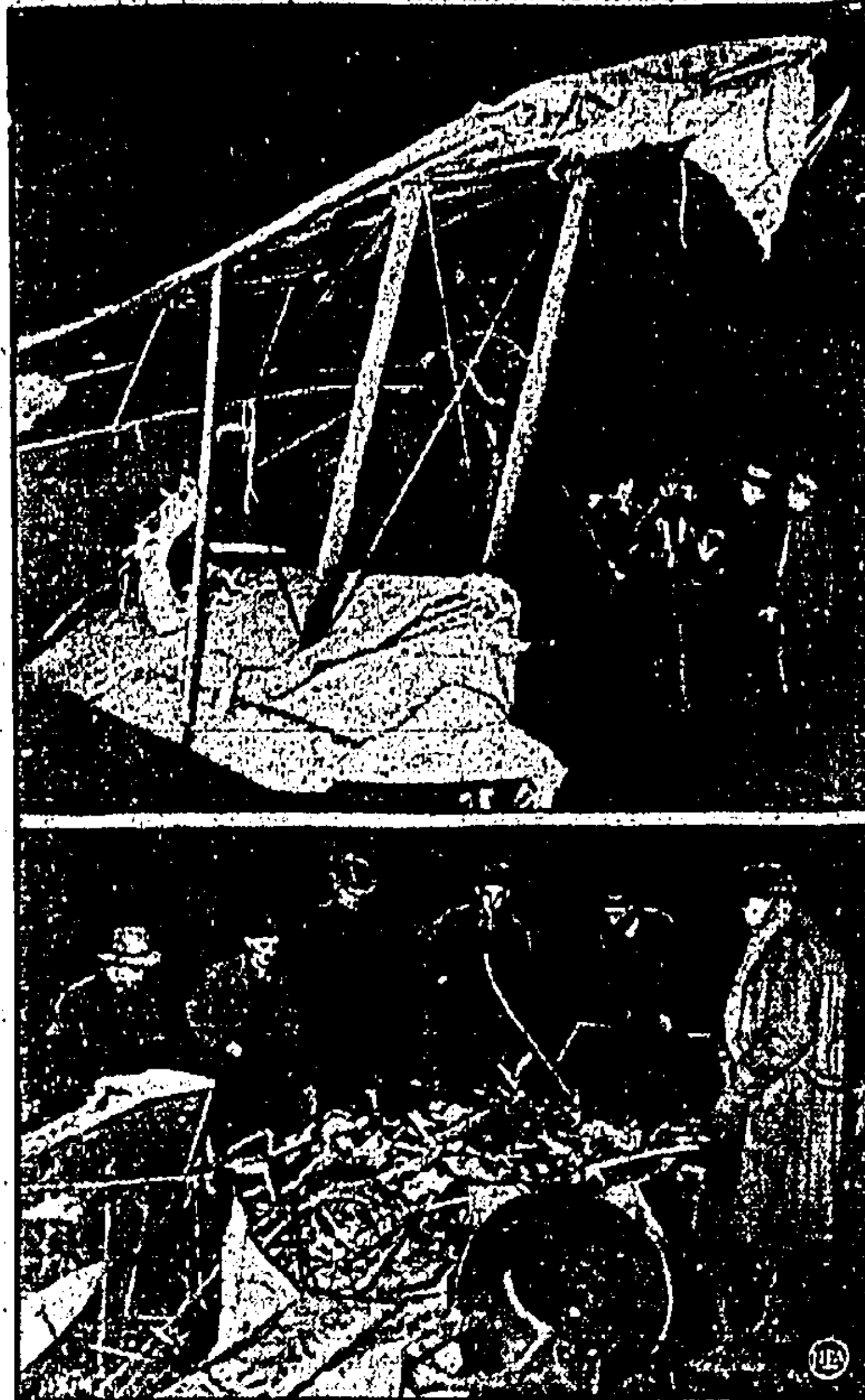
"Experience during the current year," the report said, "has shown that the families in these areas respond readily to the programme and that it is supported by local public opinion.

"These areas," it added, "have been characterised by incredibly low standards of living. Last spring a programme for the purchase of these poor farms and for aiding the transfer of families to other locations was begun, and the government now is engaged in plans for acquisition of approximately 165 subsistence homestead areas contained a total of over 6,000,000 acres.

To aid farm tenants, the board suggested the "possibility of adapting to American conditions the policy of compensation for improvements made, and certain measures protecting competent tenants against the risk of unwarranted displacements.

The board suggested municipalities increase parks to the proportion of one acre for every 100 citizens.

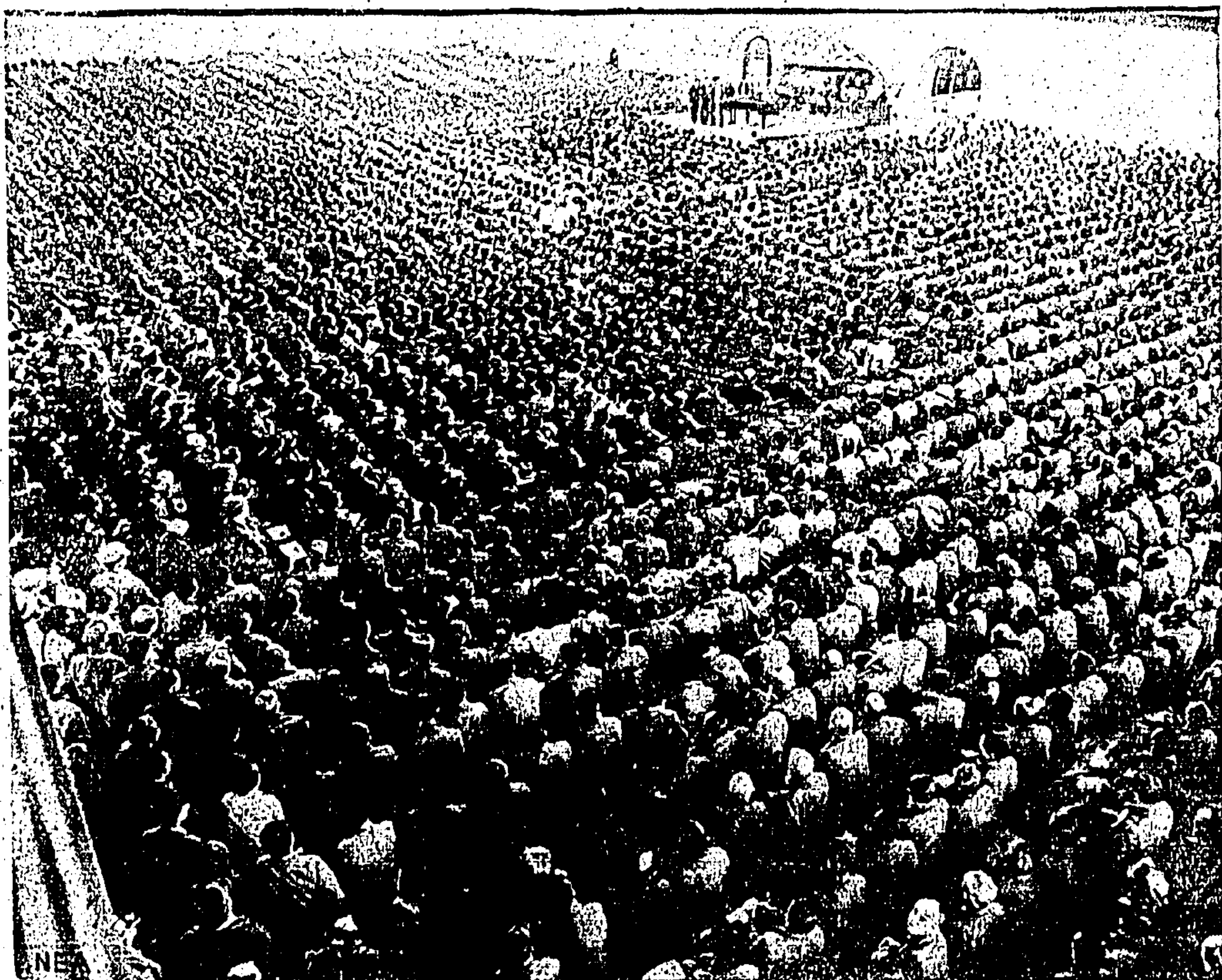
To insure a long-time land development programme, the board recommended establishment of a permanent land planning board.—United Press.



These two planes crashed high in the air and plunged to earth, one wrecked and the other crippled, two flyers dying in the collision near Murfreesboro, Tenn. The craft were Indiana National Guard planes, returning from the Miami air races. Lieut. W. B. Morgan of Indianapolis and his observer landed safely in their crippled ship, shown above, coming down in a cornfield six miles away. The dead airmen were Lieuts. Henderson Wheeler and Richard Miller, also of Indianapolis, killed instantly in the wrecked plane shown below.



His Imperial Highness Crown Prince Akihito Tsugunomiya did not say much on his recent first anniversary, but all Japan celebrated the birthday of the future ruler of Nippon. Here is his official photograph, released through the Imperial Household Department for the birthday fête.



Work and prison politics were forgotten when the 5,500 convicts at San Quentin Prison were assembled in the penitentiary mess hall for this remarkable photograph, for the occasion was the annual vaudeville show given by theatrical interests and people of the San Francisco Bay Region—a show staged with "big time" settings. And you'll note that 5,499 did not face the camera lens, as is usual "outside" prison walls.



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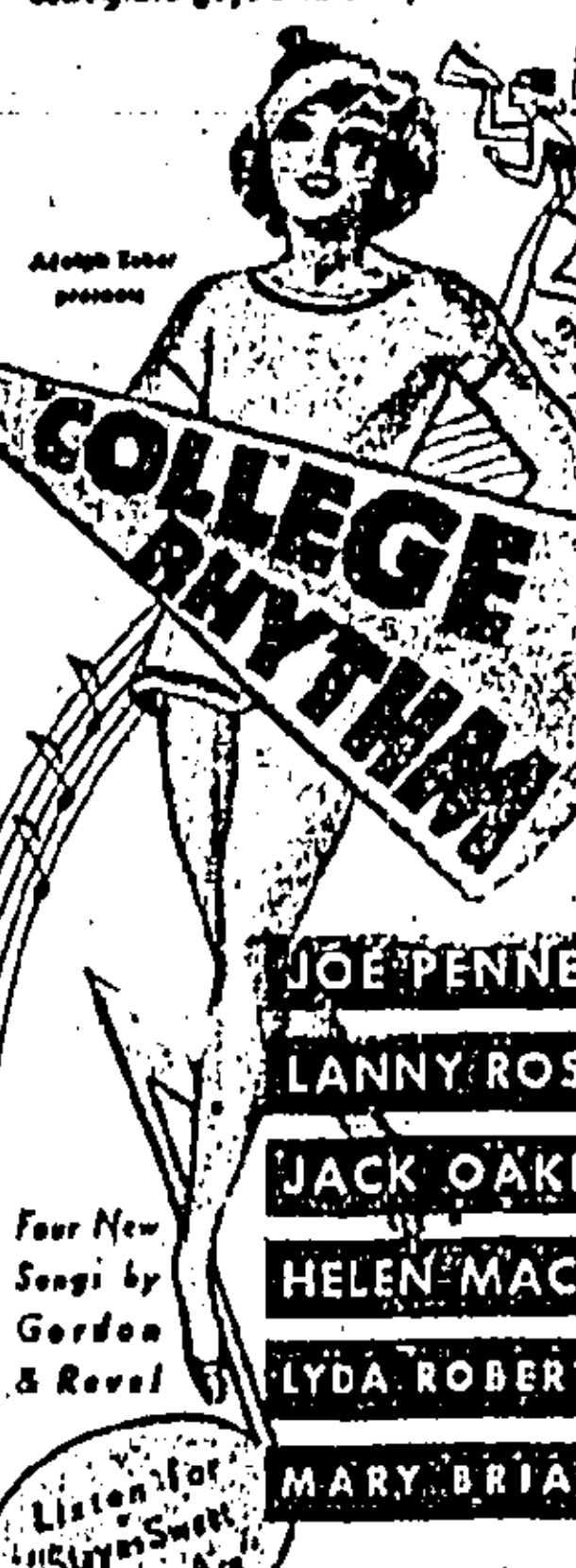
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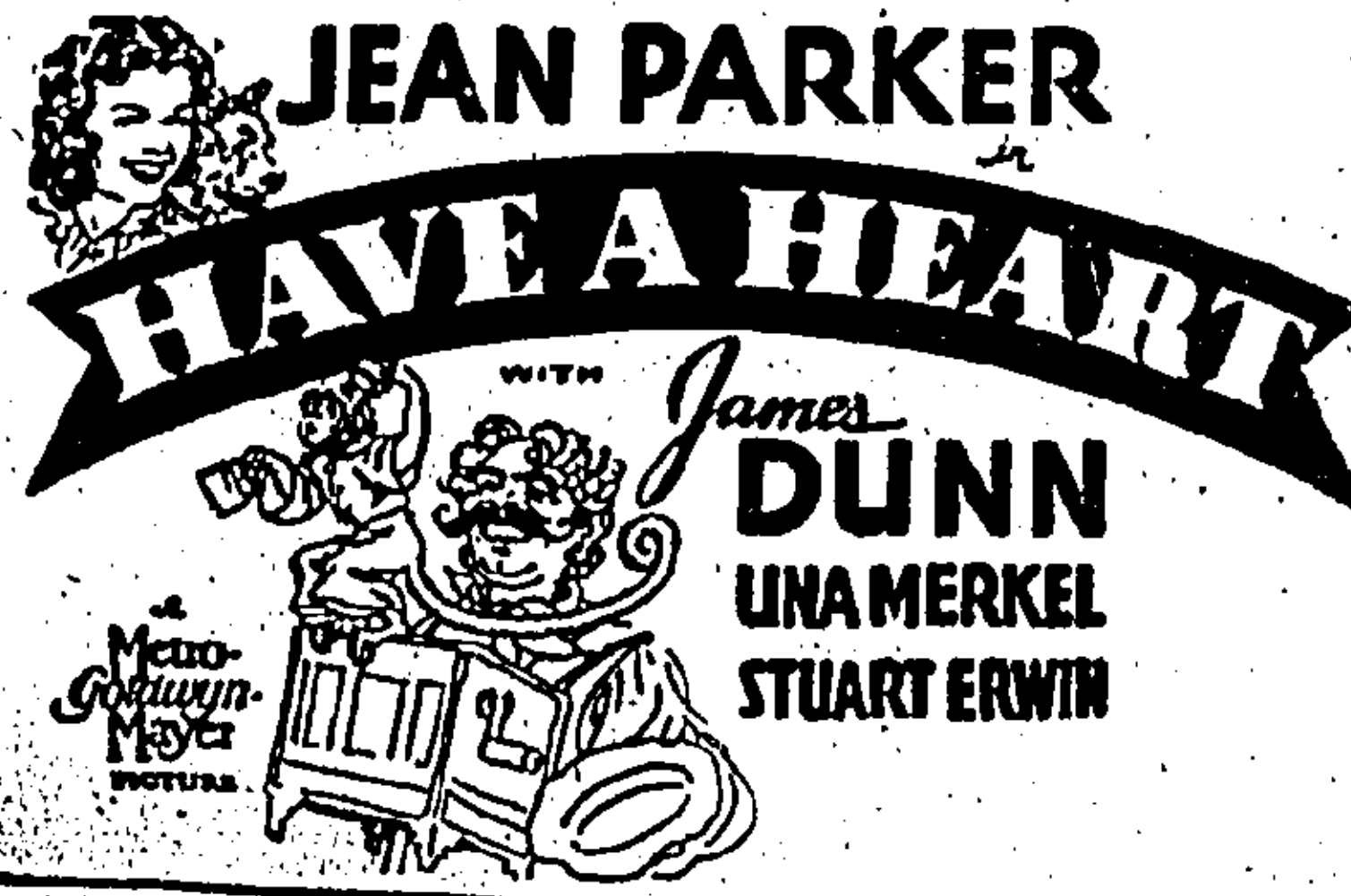
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### TO-DAY,

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### Notice to Shareholders.

THE FORTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on Thursday, the 7th March, 1935, AT NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1934.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from Friday, the 22nd February, 1935 to Thursday, the 7th March, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
F. H. CRAPNELL,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1935.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that the ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., 18, Pedder Street, Hongkong, on Saturday, the 23rd February 1935, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1934.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 11th February to Saturday the 23rd February 1935 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
V. M. GRAYBURN,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, 1st February, 1935.

### HONG KONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL SHOW OF FLOWERS AND VEGETABLES will be held at the VOLUNTEER HEADQUARTERS on THURSDAY, the 28th FEBRUARY, 1935, from 3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.

ENTRIES WILL DEFINITELY CLOSE at the Hon. Secretary's Office, Stock Exchange Building, Ice House Street, at NOON on Thursday, the 21st FEBRUARY, 1935, but intending exhibitors are requested to SEND IN THEIR ENTRIES AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.

MEMBERS who have not yet paid their subscriptions and ALL THOSE who wish to join the Society are requested to send \$5.00 to the Undersigned.

J. T. BAGRAM,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, 26th January, 1935.

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## VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so supercharged.

## INWARD MAILS.

Japan	.....	Buenos Aires Maru	.....	February 21.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers)	.....	London, 24th January and London Parcels—London, 17th January—and Air Mail ex Amsterdam—Bandoeng Service (Amsterdam, 6th February)	.....	February 21.
Shanghai and Amoy	.....	Carthage	.....	February 21.
Straits	.....	Luchow	.....	February 21.
Straits	.....	Tokushima Maru	.....	February 21.
Japan and Shanghai	.....	Bhutan	.....	February 22.
Japan	.....	General Perishing	.....	February 22.
Manila	.....	Kitama Maru	.....	February 22.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 2nd February)	.....	Phenias	.....	February 22.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 31st January)	.....	Pres. Coolidge	.....	February 22.
Straits	.....	Pres. Jackson	.....	February 22.
Straits	.....	Rajputana	.....	February 22.
Shanghai	.....	Toha Maru	.....	February 22.
Shanghai	.....	Athos II.	.....	February 23.
Shanghai	.....	D'Artagnan	.....	February 26.
Shanghai	.....	Menestheus	.....	February 26.

## OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Wednesday.		
Port Bayard .....	Tinsing .....	Wed., Feb. 20, 5 p.m.
Thursday.		
Formosa via Swatow & Amoy .....	Deli Maru .....	Thurs., Feb. 21, 8.30 a.m.
*Straits and Calcutta .....	Suisang .....	Thurs., Feb. 21, 9 a.m.
Straits .....	Letters, .....	Feb. 21, 10 a.m.
Amoy .....	Van Heutz .....	Thurs., Feb. 21, 10.30 a.m.
Sandakan .....	Tjinegara .....	Thurs., Feb. 21, 10.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. B. Rajputana and S. Africa .....	Mausang .....	Thurs., Feb. 21, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow .....	Buenos Aires Maru .....	Thurs., Feb. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow .....	Hydrangea .....	Thurs., Feb. 21, 3 p.m.
Swatow .....	Tilawa .....	Thurs., Feb. 21, 5 p.m.
Friday.		
Straits .....	Hai Lee .....	Fri., Feb. 22, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai, *Japan and *Europe via Siberia .....	Carthage .....	Fri., Feb. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Holhow, Pakhol and *Halpohong .....	Kwangtung .....	Fri., Feb. 22, 1 p.m.
Halpohong .....	Canton .....	Fri., Feb. 22, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow .....	Haiyang .....	Fri., Feb. 22, 2 p.m.
Saturday.		
Manila, Australia and New Zealand Kitama Maru .....	Reg., .....	Sat., Feb. 23, 8.45 a.m.
via Thursday Island, 7th March.	Letters, .....	Feb. 23, 9.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco, and *Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 13th March)	President Coolidge .....	Sat., Feb. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. B. Rajputana and S. Africa, Adon, Egypt and Europe via Marselles.	Parcels, .....	Feb. 22, 5 p.m.
(Due Marselles, 22nd March).	Reg., .....	Feb. 23, 9.15 a.m.
K. P. O.	Letters, .....	Feb. 23, 10 a.m.
Parcels .....	Rajputana .....	Sat., Feb. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Reg., .....	G. P. O.	Sat., Feb. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Letters, .....	Feb. 22, 4.30 p.m.	Sat., Feb. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Manila .....	Reg., .....	Feb. 23, 9 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan .....	Letters, .....	Feb. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng-Amsterdam Rajputana"	Pres. Jackson .....	Sat., Feb. 23, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail Service.	Athos II. ....	Sat., Feb. 23, 6 p.m.
K. P. O.	Rajputana .....	Sat., Feb. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Reg., .....	G. P. O.	Sat., Feb. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Letters, .....	Feb. 22, 4.30 p.m.	Sat., Feb. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow .....	Reg., .....	Feb. 23, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa .....	Letters, .....	Feb. 23, 9.30 a.m.
Sunday.		
Swatow .....	Luchow .....	Sun., Feb. 24, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow .....	Kwelyang .....	Sun., Feb. 24, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa .....	Canton Maru .....	Sun., Feb. 24, 9 a.m.
Monday.		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, Emp. of Canada .....	Parcels, .....	Feb. 25, 3 p.m.
U.S.A., C. and S. America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. (Parcels for Canada only)—and *Europe via Siberia.	Reg., .....	Feb. 25, 4.15 p.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C., 17th March).	Letters, .....	Feb. 25, 5 p.m.
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## Extradition Sought

FORMER CHINESE OFFICIAL

### EMBEZZLING CHARGE

His extradition sought by the Chinese authorities in Shanghai on a charge of having embezzled the sum of \$34,000 from the National Postal Savings Bank, in which he had held a governmental position, Yeung Kin-ping was brought before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, appeared for the Crown, and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K. C., and Mr. Hin-shing Lo, instructed by Mr. J. M. Hall, appeared for the fugitive.

Mr. Jenkin made an application that the fugitive be allowed bail. He said if it was opposed, he would give his reasons for the application. Mr. Fraser said he did not absolutely oppose bail, and would like to put the Crown's case after the application.

#### OFFERED TO SURRENDER

Mr. Jenkin said he had only just seen the warrant, and it alleged that two-and-a-half years ago, then holding a governmental position, the fugitive had embezzled the sum of \$34,000. The fugitive, said Mr. Jenkin, had been reading in the Colony for some time, and had been here continuously for the last six months. It was known to both Chief Detective Inspector Shannon and Mr. L.H.V. Booth, Director of Criminal Intelligence, that the fugitive had offered, through his legal advisers, months ago, that if at any time he should be wanted, he was prepared to surrender himself to the police. There was no possible chance of his evading the answer to the charge, and under the circumstances he asked that the fugitive be granted bail on moderate terms. The fugitive had no property in the Colony, but had money in the bank. The agents of the Government in Shanghai could quite easily have found the fugitive, as he had lived in the Colony for a considerable time.

Mr. Schofield: I take it that he will find two sureties?

#### CASH PREFERRED

Mr. Jenkin: He would prefer a cash bail, as he does not want to bring anybody else into the case if he can help it.

Mr. Schofield: Having regard to the amount embezzled, I should think that \$50,000 is very reasonable bail.

Mr. Fraser said the fugitive's extradition was requested by the Chinese Government, to whom they were bound by a Sovereign Treaty. He was a fugitive from justice, and was not in the same position as a criminal.

After referring to the Magistrate's Ordinance, Mr. Fraser said that under the heading "Bail," a Magistrate might at his discretion admit the accused to bail. So that in this instance, he would not absolutely oppose bail, but he would entirely oppose anything like a cash deposit.

#### SURETIES SUGGESTED

After quoting the Extradition Act at Home, Mr. Fraser said his view was that a deposit of cash only should not be granted, as much on the wording of the Ordinance as on the grounds of reason. To secure the appearance of the fugitive, his Worship must exercise special caution, and the precaution he would suggest was that the fugitive should put two sureties, jointly or singly, with a special amount of bail. He agreed that \$50,000 would be a reasonable amount.

Mr. Jenkin said at the moment they could not put up any surety, as it would be difficult to have anybody else involved in the matter. His client was, however, prepared to put up \$50,000 bail, and in view of the apparent staleness of the charge, that security would be ample.

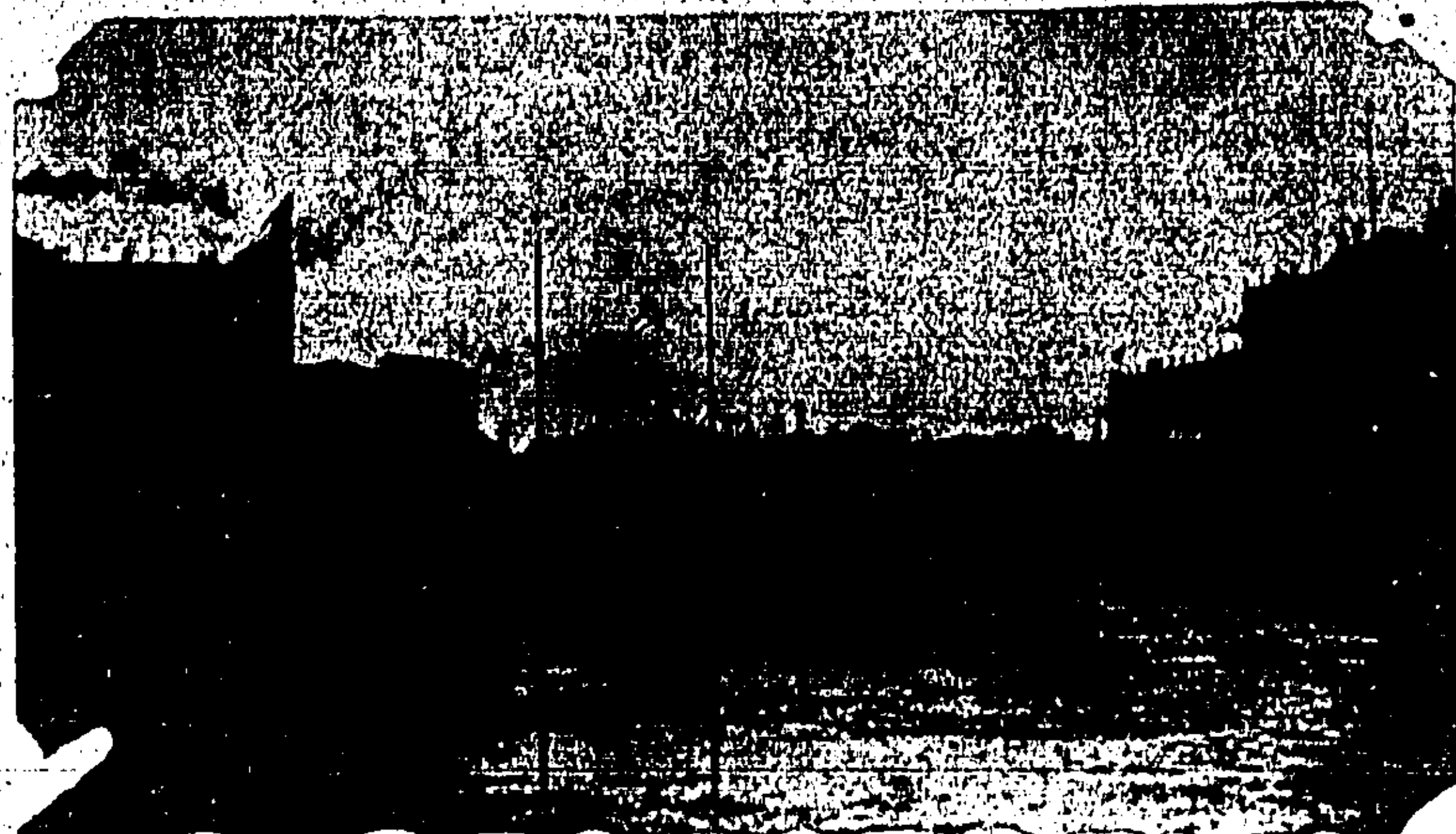
Mr. Schofield: Of course, there is the special consideration that we have to consider the keeping of the Treaty, so I don't think that I can oppose with this application to find two sureties.

#### PECULIAR CASE

Mr. Jenkin: This is treating the case as one of an ordinary nature. The lateness to obtain this warrant makes it a peculiar case. The Nanking Government, as I have no doubt, well aware of the whereabouts of their officials, and they must have known this man was down here. If he was really guilty, instead of living openly in the Colony and instead of openly going to the police and offering to surrender himself, he could have left the Colony long ago. That is a very material point in his favour.

Mr. Schofield: I am afraid I am not prepared to grant cash bail only. Two substantial sureties will be required.

The case was formally remanded for a week, with the fugitive in police custody.



Heavy rains interfered with sport in Shanghai recently. Our picture shows the Racecourse flooded by an overnight downfall.

## SHANGHAI MARKET ACTIVITY

### EXCHANGE VERY STRONG

### RE-EXPORT OF SILVER

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, Feb. 20. Trading on the Foreign Exchange Market was dull here this morning at opening, but the undertone was firm. Speculators were inclined to sell, but banks are reluctant buyers of exchange.

Rates soon rose while on the Gold Bar Exchange quotations broke below 900.

At 11.15 a.m., however, the foreign exchange market was a shade easier.

Traders are expressing some concern over a Customs notification which was published this morning, in which it was stated that the re-exportation of newly imported silver would be permissible "if absolutely necessary." They are asking who will be responsible for determining the "necessity."

The United Press has been reliably informed that this is merely the result of poor translation of the notification, and that there is no intention on the part of the Ministry of Finance to interfere with the re-export of silver.

### MANILA STOCK EXCHANGE

### PHILIPPINE GOLD SHARE QUOTATIONS

To-day's quotations as received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz shortly after the close of the morning session of the Manila Stock Exchange are as follows:

Price in Pesos	Price in Pesos	Price in Pesos
Antamok Goldfields	0.85	0.85
Baguio Gold Mining	0.85	0.85
Booneng Consolidated	12.00	12.00
Gold River	0.19	0.19
Geo. Gold Mines	0.95	0.95
Heugon Mining Co.	0.38	0.38
Sabana Mining Co.	0.18	0.18
Soyoc Consolidated	0.25	0.25
United Paracels	0.20	0.20
S. C. & F. Gold share Index	99.5	Market steady. Volume pesos 100,000.

### MURDER CHARGE

### EIGHT CHINESE IN THE DOCK

Eight Chinese appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of having, with others not in custody, at 103 Chan Lu Wu village, Sai King, on February 13, murdered Wang Fok.

The defendants were Wong Kun-ki (31), Chan Ting-ki (28), Wong Sau (29), Wong Kung (35), Wong Lin-yau (23), Li Tai (23), Chan Ming alias Chan Shun (34) and Wang Kun-yau (35).

On the application of Inspector A. H. Elston, the defendants were remanded until February 25.

### DR. SCHUSCHNIGG

### VISITING LONDON

London, Feb. 19. Dr. Schuschnigg, Austrian Chancellor, and Herr Waldeneck, Austrian Foreign Minister, who are paying an unofficial visit to London next week, will arrive on Sunday afternoon.

They will be entertained at luncheon by the Prime Minister at 10, Downing Street on Monday, and a dinner will be given at the Austrian Legation in the evening. Sir John Simon will entertain the visitors at luncheon on Tuesday.—British Wireless.

## DEATH OF MR. J. E. MITCHELL

### STEWART OF HONG-KONG CLUB

Widespread regret will be felt at the death of Mr. John Edward Mitchell, Steward of the Hongkong Club, which took place at the French Hospital in the early hours of this morning, at the age of 42 years.

The late Mr. Mitchell had been in the service of the Hongkong Club for about six months, prior to which he was on the staff of the Repulse Day Hotel. Some years ago, he was Assistant Manager of the King Edward Hotel. He had resided in the Far East for many years. He leaves a brother and sister in England, for whom much sympathy will be felt.

The funeral takes place this evening, passing the Monument at 5 p.m.

### BRITISH FINANCES

### GOOD INCOME TAX YIELD

London, Feb. 19. The latest Treasury returns show that ordinary revenue for the financial year up to February 16 amounted to £593,878,820, as compared with £599,701,084 for the corresponding period of last year, including self-balancing revenue, the figures are £670,468,820 and £688,098,084 respectively.

Income tax collected last week amounted to about £14,000,000, bringing the total to date to £176,669,000, as against £173,594,000 at the corresponding date last year.

Total ordinary expenditure up to last Saturday was £622,286,750, as compared with £608,392,793 at February 17, 1934. With self-balancing expenditure, the total for the current year is £1,052,248,427, as against £930,472,745.—British Wireless.

### INDUSTRIES FAIR

London, Feb. 19. The number of buyers at the British Industries Fair to Feb. 18, 10,868, an increase of 1,000 over the figures on the corresponding day last year.—British Wireless.

## JAPANESE AIMS IN CHINA

### LORD LOTHIAN'S VIEWS

London, Feb. 18. "Japan wants to tear up and step over the treaties and the present collective system in the Far East," Lord Lothian writes this morning in *The Times* in commenting on Japanese policy in China.

"I do not think there is any doubt," he goes on, "that Japan wants to put the world in the face of a fait accompli in China analogous to that accomplished in Manchuria. There is, of course, no question of war, which strengthens the Japanese position. But there is all the difference between the policy of drift and of a vigorous political action on the part of the other signatories of the Nine-Power Treaty which is now torn up without their consent."

"China does not want to be subdued by Japan," the writer continues, "she wishes to stand on her own legs without being enslaved by any foreign power. As a matter of fact the United States, Great Britain, the U.S.S.R., France, and Italy, can give her more effective financial help than Japan," concludes the article.—Havas.

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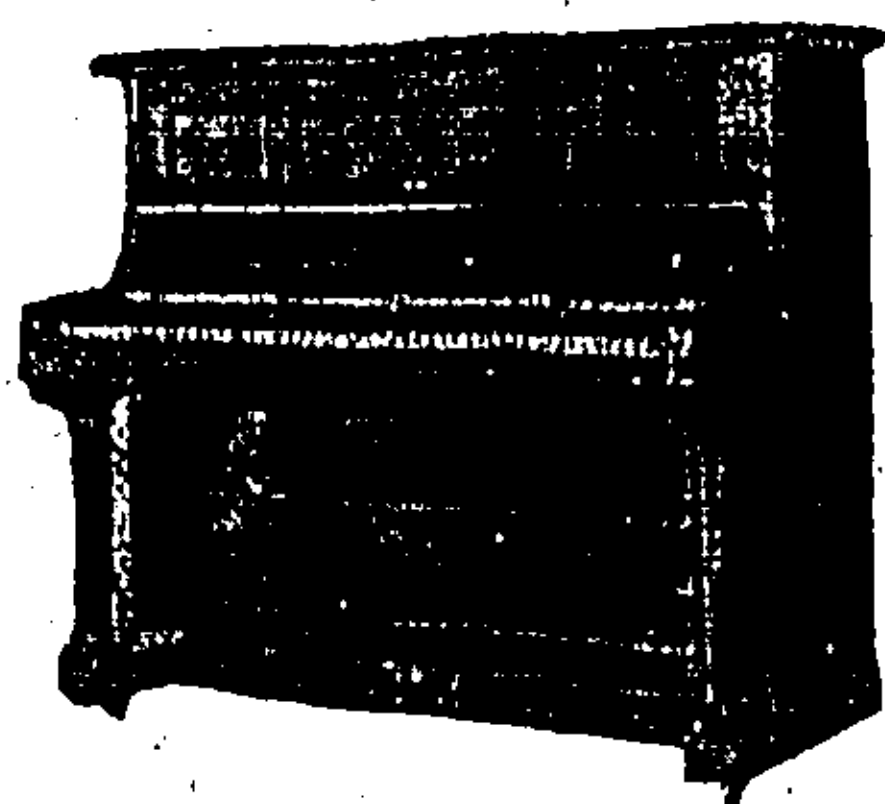
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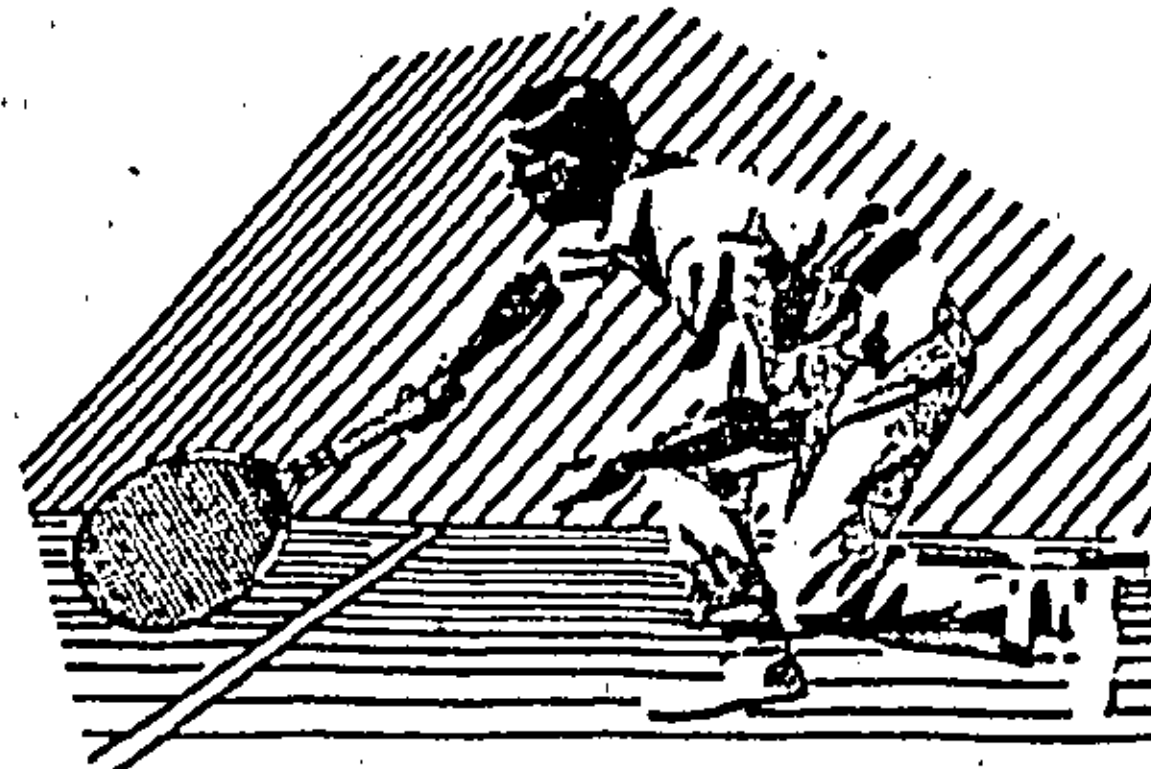
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## DEATH.

MITCHELL.—At the French Hospital, Hongkong, on February 20, 1935, John Edward Mitchell, Steward of the Hongkong Club, aged 42 years. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5 p.m. to-day (Wednesday).

The  
Hongkong Telegraph

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20, 1935.

## BRITISH ARMS INQUIRY

Following the American investigation into the manufacture of and trade in arms and munitions of war, Britain has appointed a Royal Commission to carry out a similar inquiry. Whilst the Government is accepting the American proposals as a basis for discussion, the scope of the British investigation is somewhat limited in character. It is to cover three points—(1) possible prohibition of the private manufacture of munitions; (2) the question of steps being taken to remove objections to private manufacture; and (3) examination of the British system of control of exports, with a view to discovering whether revision is needed. It is something to the good that the general question is to be looked into; but a query arises whether, under the terms of reference, there is likely to be any investigation of the charges made during the Washington inquiry that British and American munition-makers were in partnership. Another point is whether there will be any follow-up of the allegation that the international armaments ring brought pressure to bear to defeat the Disarmament Conference, or of the charge that American, British and other armament concerns played one nation against another in order to find a market for their products. When the inquiry was first mooted, there was a suggestion made in the United States that the British Commission would not have power to examine books or other documents, but it is now definitely made clear that the investigators will have the right of calling witnesses to give evidence, to call for information in writing, and also to call for and examine documents. It has been hinted that, following the American disclosures, munition-makers in Britain have had time to remove or destroy any damaging documents which may have existed in their files, but it is hardly likely, if such an idea did occur to them, that they would be able to remove all traces of possibly incriminating transac-

## NOTES OF THE DAY

## SOLID GROUND

The financial world must feel itself upon more solid ground to-day, following the announcement of the United States Supreme Court that the Administration's abrogation of the gold clause in bond contracts is effect is valid. The decision is remarkable in that the Supreme Court recognised that the act of abrogation was unconstitutional. Apparently, the end justified the means, even in the eyes of the law; or, at least, in the eyes of the majority of the justices upon the bench of the Supreme Court. But if the Constitution is to be ignored by the Administration in matters of this sort, what guarantee have the people, the investing public, in America and abroad, that they will not suffer from some other form of devaluation? Why should not the bond-buyer prospect say: "America's word is as good as her bond; and I shall buy none of her bonds?"

## DANGEROUS ALTERNATIVE

One of the dissenting justices declared, when he commented upon the obvious paradox in his brother's ruling: "The Constitution is gone." But, for the moment at least, there is no fear of financial embarrassment for the Government of the United States, or the bond-issuing corporations, which might have been asked to pay 1.63 in depreciated currency for every "gold dollar" called for in their bond contracts. And that is the main thing. That would have meant a blow to America and to the world, for it would have meant that America's bonded indebtedness, public and private, would have been increased from approximately \$90,000,000,000 to \$160,000,000,000 overnight. The financial structure of the country would have been badly wrecked, and there would not have been a market in the world which would have felt the strain.

## POSSIBILITIES

It is probably well for most, under the circumstances, that the Supreme Court tempered its judgment with discretion. It is rather dreadful to think of what might have happened had one of those judges of the majority changed his mind at the last moment, and cast a vote against the Government, valuing his Government's honour more than solvency. In that event the reasoning of one man might have upset the markets of the world in most effective fashion. We cannot know how the Roosevelt Administration would have acted in the event of a decision against its policy, of course; what its defence would have been. But the immediate effect of the Supreme Court's decision was to settle a somewhat disturbed market. The moment the decision was made known there was a general relaxing of the tension, a revival of confidence, a rapid rise in prices, which late profit-taking stopped. If the decision had been the other way, the reaction would undoubtedly have been as quick in the opposite direction to what it is at present. We may have much to be thankful for; and so may the gold bondholders, in spite of their losses.

## WISH TO BELIEVE

The power of rumour is a queer thing. Someone tells someone else a tall tale, that someone else carries still farther—and the first thing you know, half the country believes it; believes it with an intensity that no amount of public denial can ever entirely shake. A sample is the trouble which curators of the National Library in Paris have been having with credulous folk who insist on having a look at the mummy of Cleopatra. The library has never had such a mummy of the famous Egyptian queen in its existence. For 50 years the library curators have been issuing public denials that there was such a mummy. But it makes no difference. There is a rumour abroad in France that the library has the mummy, and people keep coming to see it—and getting indignant when they can't. A rumour of that kind can be one of the hardest growths known to human society.

tions. Without doubt, the main point to be dealt with by the Commission will be whether the Government shall have a monopoly in the manufacture of arms, or whether matters shall continue as they now are, with the Government making some at its own arsenals and big private firms making some at their own plants. The Government itself, as revealed by its spokesmen recently, favours retention of the present system. It is noteworthy, however, that in the League of Nations Peace Ballot there has so far been a vote of nearly ninety-five per cent. against the private manufacture of arms. This would certainly seem to indicate that popular opinion is decidedly in favour of a State monopoly, coupled with an international agreement embracing the major Powers.

## MARRIAGE MENDER WANTED

By MRS. BELLOC LOWNDES

More than 1,300 actions for divorce—a higher number than for 10 years past—are down for hearing during the new law term in England.

"WHY not make it up?" Such is the question addressed with earnest emphasis to every French married couple about to apply for relief in the Paris Divorce Court.

Some years ago I was well acquainted with one of these matrimonial conciliators, and, looking back, I am struck by the fact that his qualifications for this job from many past were simply that he was a kindly man of the world, happily married, and with children to whom he was devoted. He had also apparently been chosen for the good sense which, in his case, was coupled with that kindness of heart which is far removed from sentimentality.

His procedure, once described to me, was as follows. He first interviewed each husband and wife separately, making the while a serious attempt to learn something of their circumstances, so that he might form some idea of what had brought his or her desire for a separation. Then he saw the two together, and urged them to compose their quarrel.

He told me that he himself was often surprised at the success of his efforts, for frequently a man and woman who had come into his presence cowering at one another, and even, in some cases, ready to fly at each other's throats, walked out of his room arm-in-arm.

It is rumoured that the example set so long ago in France is about to be followed in this country, owing to the alarming increase which is taking place as regards both judicial separation and divorce.

Should this new post be created, surely the ideal Marriage Conciliator would be a middle-aged doctor, of either sex, who has been for some years in general practice and so has come in touch with innumerable married couples in all classes and conditions of life. Now what has brought about both the increase in serious matrimonial disputes and the eagerness of many couples to seek release from what have apparently become intolerable bonds? The answer to this question is of great moment to those who are contemplating marriage; to all parents; and most certainly to every human being who has the social welfare of his country at heart.

I think many of my happily married readers, among those who do not consider themselves yet too old, would agree that an astonishing change has taken place in their own lifetime with regard to this question.

Not so very long ago the possibility of divorce, or even of judicial separation, never occurred to the average man and wife. In fact, what is true of many human ills was especially true then of marital disagreements. The happy—mark the old-fashioned phrase—were each subconsciously aware that, as he and she were situated, there was no alternative but to live up to the old adage "What can't be cured must be endured."

And, as many of us can remember with either a smile or a sigh,

when a cure was needed old Dame Nature sometimes took a hand and often made quite a good job where human skill had failed; and so, again I ask, what has brought about so astounding a change in the most important of human relations?

Bad temper certainly plays a smaller part now than it did in the matrimonial quarrels of our forefathers. But it still forms an extremely destructive force in married life. Foolish people laugh when they say that a woman "has a temper," yet nothing kills married love so quickly; and even a good-humoured husband will soon come to look at such a wife with a mixture of disgust and contempt.

Commoner to-day is the type of woman who restrains her temper with the man she loves, but who expects him to take violent sides if she quarrels with a neighbour, a servant, or, worst of all, a relation.

Less usual than was once the case, yet not unusual even now, though seldom given as the reason for a misunderstanding between a husband and wife, is meanness. This unpleasant quality has but little to do with income. Wealthy men are often extremely parsimonious, and poor men open-handed.

A not uncommon type of the old-fashioned husband who likes his mate to be what is called a home bird, is the man who is generous to himself and as mean as he dares to be to his wife. He calculates the smallest allowance on which he thinks she ought to manage, and is hurt and surprised that she does not make him comfortable.

Jealousy is seldom mentioned nowadays. But this primordial passion still lurks in the background of every married life, and in my opinion the reasons for jealousy have greatly increased. In the times of our grandparents, when a man was known or supposed to be jealous of his wife, it meant only one thing. But in our time many a young man becomes bitterly jealous of his wife's outside interests, especially if she be one of the many modern wives who go on working after they are married.

Indeed, I would go so far as to say that a husband may be more jealous of his wife's work than he would ever be of another man. One reason for this is that many a woman who talks incessantly of the work in which her mind is not unnaturally absorbed would certainly not even allude to her friendship with a man.

A sensible wife should make a special point of leaving whatever she is doing apart from her husband completely behind her when she quits the business or the office where she is employed. And I come now to what has always seemed to me the all-important question in marriage. This is the healing virtue of silence.

There are not many unwise popular sayings, but surely among them is "Tell the truth and shame the devil." As for so-called home truths, they should never be mentioned by a husband to a wife or by a wife to a husband. Not only, as Swinburne wrote, "silence is most noble to the end," but almost always silence is a balm that

(Continued on next column.)

## The Very Idea!

## THIS WEATHER

By Horatio Bogg, Meteorologist

FOR the sixth time yesterday, Bogg had had inane remarks anent the cold and/or fine weather thrown at his head, by persons who could think of nothing more intellectual to talk about. Goaded to exasperation, it was just too bad for the Cub Reporter that on meeting for the first time yesterday morning in the lift, he should hit on the same topic with which to resume daily relations. This was what happened when Bogg ran amuck:

"Top of the morning to you, Mr. Bogg."

"All the rest of it to you, young man."

"Thank you kindly, Sir. May I be permitted to say that the weather to-day is simply topping?"

"Certainly not. What if it is?"

"Oh nothing, Sir, except that we have had such abominable conditions lately, that to-day has come as a pleasant change indeed."

"Damitall, man, don't I know that too? Why speak of the obvious? But perhaps you are suggesting I have not the sense to find that out for myself? If so, you are guilty of a piece of disrespect to your elders. I am not sure it has not amounted to impertinence."

"But, Sir, I did not mean to be disrespectful or impertinent. Please pardon me."

"I am not sure that I ought not to be very, very angry. Over this reprehensible conduct on your part, indeed, I am surprised at my moderation."

"You have such wonderful self-control, Sir, if I may be permitted to say so."

"That is at it may be. But, questions of conduct apart, I am not sure that the weather is a safe topic for discussion."

"I am most interested, Sir."

"It is this, young man, that the best of us may not speak with certainty on any matter, leastways on such a tricky thing as the weather. That is, with the possible exception of one authority."

"And who may that be, Sir?"

"I refer to the Weather Authority."

"And is he a very great authority on the subject, Sir?"

"He is, my boy. What he says about the weather goes. When he says the weather is going to be 'fair to cloudy,' depend on it we shall have tolerable good weather."

"But if, after that, we still have bad weather?"

"Then, son, you are beginning to ask foolish questions. It is in every one of us always to hope for the best, and if he should err, he has erred no more than other optimists."

"Then the only safe thing to do is to take our weather, fair or foul, as it comes?"

"Precisely, my boy. I see you have profited from your journalistic career, short as it has been."

"I may therefore not even say that is good weather, in case it turns out to be foul?"

"You are a lad of uncommon perspicacity. If you keep on at this rate, I may permit you to write for this column."

"Very kind of you to think so, Sir. What led me to refer to the fine weather just now, Sir, is that I had hoped you might be induced by its favourable conditions to honour me with your company at the Gloucester Lounge."

"Why did you not say that right away? However, it is not too late. But always keep this in mind, my son, I never object to the glass going up—always provided it's full to the brim and is moving in the direction of my lips."

heals, even if the healing takes the bitter form of the cauterising of a wound.

Cruel, taunting, even foolish, words are what often keep open a festering sore which taints the very springs of love in married life.

The little word "obey" is now sometimes left out in one marriage service, yet obedience plays a great part in married life. Many a man is well aware that there will be trouble if he does not obey his wife. I was amused the other day to hear that a famous admiral lately exclaimed: "I was in the Navy for 50 years, but I have learned that the discipline of the quarterdeck is nothing to the discipline of home."



"You can't do anything with him, officer. His parents have spoiled him."



# U.S. BOND CASE NOT CLOSED

## FOREIGN HOLDERS MAY YET SUE

### GLOOMY PREDICTION OF ECONOMIST

New York, Feb. 19.

The possibility that the last has not been heard of the Gold Clause problem was suggested by Professor Cyril James, economist of Pennsylvania University today, who is quoted as saying:

"The decisions of the United States Supreme Court do not preclude foreign Governments holding United States bonds from suing to recover \$169 for every \$100 American bond containing the gold clause."

He contends that private holders might take advantage of this opportunity and consign their holdings to foreign Governments.

In Washington, however, it is held that any action by foreign holders of United States bonds, through their Governments, would fall to the ground as the bonds are purely domestic obligations, not falling within the rules of international law.

It is announced that the Government's conversion operation for \$1,870,000,000 of Fourth Liberty Loan bonds will be included in the mid-March financing programme. The Treasury some time ago signified its intention of proceeding with this scheme following the gold clause decision.

The bonds will be called for redemption on April 15.—*Reuter*.

#### MAY GET DAMAGES

Washington, Feb. 19. It was learned here today that some lawyers foresee the possibility of the small group of Americans residing in foreign countries and who bought United States Government Bonds before devaluation of the dollar, or who bought the Bonds in the United States and then moved abroad, being able to collect damages under the Liberty Bond decision.

This possibility is presented because the purchasing power of the dollar has been drastically reduced abroad, compared with only a slight domestic change. However, the amount of their holdings is apparently so small that members of the Treasury are showing little concern over such an eventuality.

Foreigners, however, will have no chance to recover damages, due to the fact that United States Government Securities are offered for domestic purchase, and therefore foreigners are subject to the same risks as Americans.—*United Press*.

#### PREVENTING ACTION

Washington, Feb. 19. After a conference at the White House today, Mr. Homer Cummings, the U.S. Attorney General, intimated that the Government may seek legislation to clinch the gold clause victory.

Such legislation is reported as being still in the stages of discussion, but it is believed here that it would be designed to prevent any further suits against the Government.—*United Press*.

#### BRITISH INVESTORS

London, Feb. 19. It was announced here today that a committee representing British investors in United States gold securities will hold a special meeting next week, to decide whether it is possible to take legal action to force payment in gold.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

IT IS THE DUTY OF MEN TO LOVE EVEN THOSE WHO INJURE THEM.—*Marcus Antoninus*.

Two excellent magazines have been received setting out the many attractions which Germany holds for tourists. One is entitled "Germany," and the other "Germany and You." Several contributed articles show how enjoyable a visit to the country can be, whether in summer or in winter, for sports or merely to relax; and the many fine illustrations are themselves persuasive.

An early morning scuffle was described to Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, when Ip Tong, aged 28, hawker, and Ip Sze, aged 27, unemployed, were charged with assaulting Cheung Iu-kwan, a conservancy foreman at Prince Edward Road at 3 o'clock this morning. It was alleged that complainant saw the two defendants carrying a nightgown into a vegetable garden near the Police Training School, and went up with the intention of arresting them, but they set upon him with bamboo carrying poles. A fine of \$5 each, with the alternative of seven days' imprisonment, was imposed.

This procedure is on account of their belief that they can show proof of damage.—*United Press*.

#### FRENCH HOLDERS

Paris, Feb. 19. It is learned that France has decided officially to refrain from trying to collect payment on United States Gold Clause obligations in gold, acting under the official instructions of the leading French banks.

The banks include the Bank of France, which has refused to handle the claims of clients holding American gold certificates.—*United Press*.

## COMPROMISE ON BONUS

### BONDS FOR U.S. VETERANS

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, Feb. 19. Senator Tydings today introduced a resolution providing for the payment of \$2,300,000,000 of bonuses to ex-soldiers in United States bonds.

The measure is an attempt to compromise between the Administration and the bonus leaders, and would not increase the ultimate obligations of the Government providing the bond issue was negotiable at 3 per cent. interest, and exchangeable for outstanding adjusted service certificates, now scheduled for payment in 1945.—*United Press*.

## BANK SERVANT CHARGED

### ALLEGED THEFT OF BIG SUM

Fung Ki-sun (43) unemployed, was charged before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with the larceny by servant of \$27,464.10 from the Hin Kee Bank, No. 61 Bonham Strand East.

Mr. F. H. Losby appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. T. P. K. Kemble for the defendant.

On the application of Mr. Losby, the defendant was formally remanded for one week. Bail in \$50,000 was granted.

The P. and O. Liner Rajputana is due here from Shanghai at 6 a.m. on Friday.

The Hongkong "Singers" will hold their rehearsal in connection with their forthcoming rendering of "Elljal" in St. John's Cathedral on Thursday, March 28, at 5.30 p.m.

A free lecture (illustrated) will be given in the Concert Hall at the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home this evening commencing at 8.30 by Professor Brown of the Hongkong University. The lecture is entitled "Helen Keller, the Deaf and Blind Author." A hearty invitation is extended to all who are interested to attend.

Leung Ping, aged 37, unemployed, appeared before Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, charged with stealing a radiator cap from private car No. 219, the property of Yu Tam, aged 59, a P.W.D. foreman. On being convicted, the defendant was fined \$25, with the alternative of three weeks' hard labour. It was stated that defendant was seen taking the radiator cap from the car about 1.30 p.m. yesterday. Sub-Inspector Post prosecuted.

## LIBERTY BAY ROMPS HOME IN CHAMPIONS

(Continued from Page 1.)

In their Spring finery to witness the race for the Ladies' Purse.

There were twenty-three starters in the Leighton Hill Stakes, which resulted in a win for Mrs. Pearce's Wadbridge, who beat Emergency Call by a length, with Tin Ho half a length behind in third place.

There was a fine finish in the race for the Grand Stand Stakes, which brought out eleven starters. Mr. Frost, riding Pontiac Bay, brought his mount in a head in front of Ythan, with Filrt only a short head away in third place.

Soldier of Britain won the Ladies' Purse, beating Cosack's Beauty by five lengths. Trentbridge was third, another five lengths away. The winner's time was a record for the distance.

In this race Chateau Bay, ridden by Mr. H. P. Chanson, threw his jockey near the Naval Pavilion. The rider was not injured.

1.—The Leighton Hill Stakes.—Winner \$600. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, Subscription Grifflins won this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners no penalty. Jockey allowance. Six furlongs.

Mrs. Pearce's Wadbridge (161) (Mr. F. Marshall) 1 Dr. Lee Shiu-kee's Emergency Call (168) (Mr. Encarnacao) 2 Mr. C. S. Wong's Tin Ho (161) (Mr. H. C. Pih) 3

Twenty-three starters. Won by a length; half a length. Time: 1 min. 32.3/5 secs. Pari-mutuel:—Win \$20.90; Places \$8.50; \$7.50; \$13.80.

2.—The Grand Stand Stakes.—Winner \$600. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, bona fide Grifflins won this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Grifflins, winners of one race, 7 lb. penalty; of two or more races, barred. Subscription winners of this Club of this Meeting: winners no penalty; non-winners allowed 10 lb. Jockey allowance. Allowances accumulative. Six furlongs.

Mr. L. Dunbar's Pontiac Bay (168) (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1 Messrs. Mackie & Grayburn's Ythan (158) (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 2 Mr. C. B. Brown's Filrt (168) (Mr. Neugebauer) 3

Eleven starters. Won by a head; short head. Time: 1 min. 30 secs. Pari-mutuel:—Win \$21.20; Places \$10.60; \$17.80; \$24.50.

3.—The Ladies' Purse.—Presented with \$500 added for Winner. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners at this Meeting other than Grifflins, barred. Jockey allowance. One round (about 7 furlongs 40 yards).

Mr. Li Shiu-pang's Soldier of Britain (168) (Mr. S. Y. Sun) 1 Mr. Lan's Cosack's Beauty (161) (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2 Mrs. Pearce's Trentbridge (168) (Mr. F. Marshall) 3

Four starters. Won by five lengths; five lengths. Time: 1 min. 44.4/5 secs. (record). Pari-mutuel:—Win \$15.30; Places \$10.10; \$12.80.

4.—The Adelaide Stakes.—Winner \$750. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies of any Season. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners at this Meeting barred. Jockey allowance. From the two mile post once round and in (about one mile 171 yards).

Mr. Wonder's Racing Heart (158) (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 1 Mr. E. S. K's Night Star (149) (Mr. E. O. Butler) 2 Mrs. E. H. M. Tinson's Bag Tor (152) (Mr. W. H. S. Davis) 3

Thirteen starters. Won by three-quarters length; half length. Time: 1 min. 58.3/5 secs. (record). Pari-mutuel:—Win \$24.70; Places \$7.90; \$7.30; \$11.60.

5.—The Jockey Cup.—Winner \$500. Second \$200. Third \$100. A Cup value \$100 will be presented to the winning jockey. For China Ponies that have started in and have not won a race at this Meeting and that have not at any time won three races. To be ridden by jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. Weight 145 lb. Winners 5 lb. penalty; won maximum penalty 10 lb. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Penalties accumulative. One mile.

Mr. Li Shiu-pang's Soldier of Germany (160) (Mr. F. F. Li) 1 Mr. Lan's Bright View (160) (Mr. W. W. Choy) 2 Messrs. Kong Bros' New Star (160) (Mr. S. W. Tang) 3

Won by three lengths; three lengths. Time: 2 min. 0.2/5 secs. Pari-mutuel:—Win \$29.10; Places \$5.70; \$5.70; \$6.20.

6.—The Blue Mountains Plate.—Winner \$300. Second \$250. Third \$100. For Australian Ponies. Grifflins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per

## India Bill Debate

### LONG AND ARDUOUS TASK BEGUN

#### CHOOSING VICEROY

London, Feb. 19.

The House of Commons today began the long and important task of dealing with the Government of India Bill in its Committee stage.

The measure contains four hundred and fifty-one clauses and fifteen schedules, and in view of its magnitude all sections and parties in the House have agreed to the allocation of thirty days to be devoted to it.

Twenty-six days will be devoted to various parts of the Bill in the order of their importance and the remaining four days will be held in reserve to provide more time for discussion of provisions which prove specially intricate or produce constructive criticisms. In the first six days Part One of the measure, and in which the position of the Governor General is defined, will be under debate.

Sir Robert Horne this afternoon moved an amendment, the effect of which was that the Viceroy should be appointed only after there had been consultation with the living ex-Viceroy who were also members of the Privy Council. He emphasized the vital importance of the post and of having the right man to fill it. The Viceroy, he said, would be the keystone of all this mighty fabric and there was no office in the world to which the choice of the right man was more important.

Sir Samuel Hoare, who agreed that the post was one of vital importance, said while he was anxious to keep the appointment as far as possible out of the ordinary rut of party politics there were grave objections to introducing quite new procedure into the Constitution and taking the appointment altogether out of the control of Parliament. The Government would not accept the amendment in that form but he would welcome the opportunity of considering the views of members from all parts of the House on the subject. After further discussion Sir Robert Horne withdrew his amendment.—*British Wireless*.

## CHINESE GIVE RECEPTION

### INSTITUTE MARKS ANNIVERSARY

London, Feb. 19.

The Chinese Institute is celebrating its second anniversary with a reception at which Mr. Quo Tai-chi and Rev. J. Scott-Liddell, chairman of the Universities Chinese Committee, will be the speakers.

Membership of the Institute is now about 280 and the organisation requires larger premises urgently.—*Reuter*.

## ARAB ASSISTANCE

### TO SERVE ITALIANS IN SOMALILAND

Aden, Feb. 19.

Three hundred Yemen Arabs were taken aboard the Italian steamer Giuseppe Mazzini tonight for service in Italian Somaliland.—*Reuter*.

scale. Winners of one race, 10 lb. penalty; of two or more races, barred. Jockey allowance. One and a quarter miles.

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose-Ann (169) (Mr. V. Neda) 1 Mr. Seth's Got That (166) (Mr. N. Deltz) 2

Messrs. Mackie & Grayburn's Snowy River (149) (Mr. W. H. S. Black) 3 Ten starters. Won by six lengths; five lengths. Time: 2 min. 15.2/5 secs. Pari-mutuel:—Win \$12.10; Places \$6.80; \$5.80; \$12.60.

7.—The Lusitano Cup.—Presented by the Members of the Club Lusitano, with \$500 added for Winner. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, bona fide Grifflins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Subscription Grifflins of this Club of this Meeting allowed 5 lb. Winners 7 lb. penalty. Jockey allowance. Allowances accumulative. One mile.

Mr. Hom's Herod (168) (Mr. W. H. S. Davis) 1 Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose-Queen (165) (Mr. V. Neda) 2 Mr. Dynasty's King's Jubilee (168) (Mr. F. Marshall) 3

Nine starters. Won by five lengths; three lengths. Time: 1 min. 58.4/5 secs. Pari-mutuel:—Win \$10.90; Places \$5.90; \$6.20; \$6.00.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Relay from the Majestic Ballroom To-night

#### TWO STUDIO ITEMS

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles):  
4.7 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
6-6.15 p.m. Children's Studio Concert.  
7-7.17 p.m. Nursery Suite (Elgar).  
7.17-7.30 p.m. A Cello Recital by Beatrice Harrison.  
7.30-8 p.m. Variety.  
8-8.15 p.m. Songs—Sings To—Tango Chante.  
8.15-8.30 p.m. Songs—Si Petite.  
8.30-8.45 p.m. Songs—Mlle. Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).  
8.45-9 p.m. Humorous—Riding down from Hangar.  
9-9.15 p.m. Humorous—The King of Zulu.  
9.15-9.30 p.m. Instrumental—The Grasshopper and the Ant.  
9.30-9.45 p.m. Instrumental—Nasty Man.  
9.45-10 p.m. Instrumental—Kitten on the Keys.  
10-10.15 p.m. Time and Weather.  
10.15-10.30 p.m. "Empress of Canada" Orchestra directed by Mr. G. H. Redfern.  
Programme.  
1. March—Colonel Bogey ... Alford.  
2. Waltz—Reverie ... Waldteufel.  
3. Selection—Patience ... Sullivan.  
4. Entracte.  
(a) Love's Garden of Roses, Wood.  
(b) Your Love is all ... Zamecnik.  
(c) Londonderry Air ... Anon.  
(d) In a Persian Market ... Kately.  
5. Fox-Trot—Selected.  
6. 9-9.17 p.m. A Viola Recital by Bronislav Huberman.  
1. Waltz in C Sharp Minor (Chopin); 2. Caprice (Elgar); 3. Romanza Andaluza (Sarasate); 4. Mazurka (Zaretsky).  
9.17-9.30 p.m. Band Music.  
Nell Gwyn Dances (Edward Gorman).  
Humoresque (Dvorak).  
9.30 p.m. Press Bulletins. Stock and Commodity.  
9.35-10.05 p.m. From the Studio.  
Margaret King (Soprano) accompanied by Nura Kanis. (Baritone) accompanied by Doreen Ma.  
Nura Kanis—Pianoforte.  
Programme.  
1. Song—Ay Ay Ay.  
2. Piano Solo.  
3. Impromptu in A Flat ... Schubert.  
4. Songs:  
(a) The Policeman's Song.  
(b) My Ships.  
5. Piano Solo.  
6. The Prophet Bird ... Schumann.  
7. Song.  
On Wings of Song ... Mendelssohn.  
Lullaby ... Brahms.  
8. Song.  
Why Shouldn't I?  
10.05-11 p.m. Dance.  
Orchestra from the Majestic Ballroom.  
10.30 p.m. Press Bulletins, News, Stock and Commodity Quotations.  
11 p.m. Close Down.

#### ZEESON PROGRAMMES

This Evening's Broadcast From The German Short-Wavers  
Special programme for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast from Zeeson as follows:  
SOUTH ASIA ZONE  
South Asia Zone broadcast from DJD (19.74 metres) and DJN (81.45 metres).  
4.45 p.m. DJD, DJN Announcement (German, English).  
5 p.m. Music and Special Events.  
5.25 p.m. News in English.  
5.40 p.m. "Cool fan talk" by W. A. v. Mozart.  
6.00 p.m. News in German.  
6.15 p.m. Concert of Light Music.  
6.30 p.m. News in English.  
6.45 p.m. News in English.  
6.55 p.m. Close down DJD, DJN (German, English).  
EAST ASIA ZONE  
East Asia Zone broadcast through DJA on 21.12 metres, and DJN (81.45 metres).  
9 p.m. DJA, DJN Announcement (German, English).  
9.15 p.m. German Folk Song, Programme Forecast (German, English).  
9.30 p.m. Short Musical Programme.  
9.45 p.m. News in English on DJA and in Dutch on DJN.  
10 p.m. "Cool fan talk" by W. A. v. Mozart.  
10.15 p.m. News in German on DJA and DJN.  
10.30 p.m. A Walk through the Automobile Exhibition.  
10.45 p.m. Dance Music.  
11.15 a.m. News in English on DJA and in Dutch on DJN.  
11.30 a.m. Close down DJA, DJN (German, English).

#### DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

To-day's Broadcasting From Four Transmissions  
The following wave-lengths and frequencies are observed by Daventry:  
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GSA 4.855 k.c. 61.55 metres  
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Transmission 2  
To-day's Broadcast on Transmission 2, through GSF, GSE and GRD.  
7.45 p.m. Quintin Maclean, at the Organ.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 12 noon.  
8.15 p.m. Reginald Smith's "Nonpareil" choir.  
8.30 p.m. The News.  
8.45 p.m. The News.  
9 p.m. Close down.  
Transmission 3  
To-day's Broadcast on Transmission 3, through GSF, GSE and GRD.  
10.15 p.m. Big Ben. The B.B.C. Dance.  
11 p.m. An Organ Recital by Allen Bransden.  
11.30 p.m. "The Fragrant Wood."  
Greenwich Time Signal at 4 p.m.  
12 a.m. The Gloucestershire Municipal Orchestra.  
12.45 a.m. The News.  
1 a.m. The John MacArthur Quintet.  
1.15 a.m. Dance Music.  
1.45 a.m. Close down.  
Transmission 4  
To-day's Broadcast on Transmission 4, through GSF and GRD.  
2.45 a.m. The News.  
3 a.m. The News.  
3.15 a.m. From the Shows.  
3.30 a.m. The Village Dial Sextet.  
3.45 a.m. The Village Dial Sextet.  
3.55 a.m. Peter Brown, at the Organ of the Royal Glos. Cathedral.  
4.15 a.m. The News.  
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## BIG SILVER PURCHASE

### CHINA BUYING IN LONDON

Shanghai, Feb. 19.

It was learned here today that the Exchange Stabilisation Committee has purchased three million Chinese silver dollars in London.

The shipment is expected to arrive in Shanghai on March 15.

It is also reported that the Committee is at present negotiating for the purchase of an additional ten million.—*United Press*.

## OFFICIAL CALL

### CHINESE ADMIRAL'S VISIT

His Excellency the Governor and Admiral Y. C. Kiang, of the Yui Hai Cruiser Squadron, exchanged official calls this morning. Admiral Kiang came ashore at Murray Pier at 10 a.m. and was escorted to Government House, after which His Excellency the Governor returned the call by launch to the cruiser Hai Chi.

3 a.m. Big Ben. The News.  
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# JAPANESE NET STARS WIN AND LOSE IN MANILA

## HAYASHI REACHES THE SEMI-FINAL

### YOSHIOKA OUT: MOON WINS IN FOUR SETS

Manila, Feb. 17.

E. F. Moon, the former Australian Davis Cup player has reached the quarter-final of the Philippines All-Comers Tennis Championship as a result of a victory over Felix Ampon, former Philippines champion by the scores of 4-6, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2.

Moon is scheduled to play Leonora Zamora in the next round, while Leonora Gavia has to play L. Schwartz, another Australian competitor.

Manuel Aragon, Number Two in the Philippines Tennis Rankings, to-day eliminated Yoshioka, the Japanese

star after a fine five-set struggle. As a result he is now in the quarter-finals.

After leading his opponent 6-3, 6-3 in two sets, Yoshioka fell behind, finally losing the next three sets 6-2, 8-6, 6-0.

Shinroku Hayashi, who took Nishimura to five sets in the semi-final of the Japanese National Championship only a few months ago, has displayed remarkable form and has already reached the semi-final. He is scheduled to play again on Thursday.

In spite of Gavia's fine form, and Moon's strong challenge, Hayashi is slight favourite for the title.



## HOTSPURS' COACH

### HARDINGE AS NEW MENTOR

With the joint purpose of easing the managerial cares of Percy Smith and of training their younger players, Tottenham Hotspur have appointed Harold Hardinge as coach.

On the score of experience alone the new member of the Hotspur staff will be a valuable asset, for Hardinge in his golden prime has worn the playing colours of Newcastle United, Sheffield United and the Arsenal. Winning international honours at cricket as well as at Soccer, Hardinge, who is a native of Greenwich, will be chiefly associated in the summer game with the long service he rendered to Kent. After 31 years of cricket he retired from the game at the end of the 1933 season.

The chief duty of Hardinge in his new appointment relates to the charge of the London Combination team, and as Northfleet is the well-known nursery of the Hotspur Club the old international will naturally keep an eye on the players of that club. At present Hardinge is living at Eltham, but before the end of the year it is highly probable that he will take up residence nearer to the scene of his new work.

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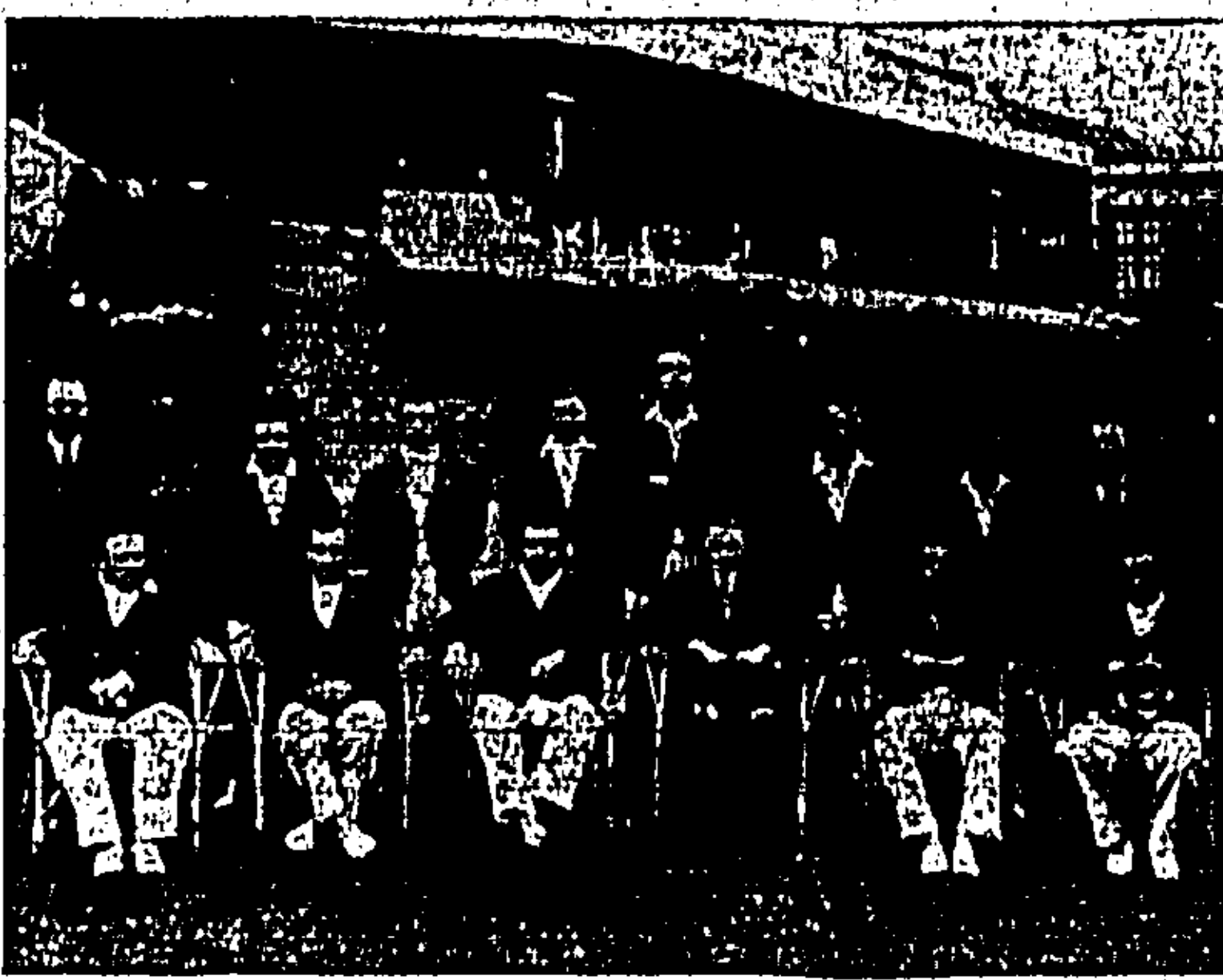
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The Small Units cricket team which opposed the Kowloon Cricket Club and were beaten on Sunday last. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

## BIG FIGHT ENDS IN FIASCO

### JUDGE PUTS UNTIMELY STOP TO HOMERIC STRUGGLE

### KID BERG GIVEN DECISION OVER GUSTAVE HUMERY

(By Fred Dartnell)

London, Jan. 24.

The big fight at the Albert Hall last night between Kid Berg, the British light-weight champion, and Gustave Humery, of France, ended in an unpleasant fiasco.

For eight rounds the spectators had been treated to one of the fiercest struggles ever seen in this famous ring. Both men indulged in one long crescendo of hitting, in which there was hardly a moment's breathing space.

They are hustlers of the highest class, and the fortunes of war swung invitingly from one to the other. I thought at the end of the sixth round Humery, by virtue of his harder hitting, was gradually putting up a lead on points.

### DAMAGE NOT SERIOUS

His left eye had been cut in a ferocious interchange of punches, but the damage was not enough to handicap him and it did not affect in the slightest his eager desire to go in and batter down an adversary who was obsessed with the same good intention.

Judge of the surprise of everybody, fighters and spectators alike, when at the end of the eighth round, which had matched its predecessors for its intensive force and speed, the Judge examined Humery's eye and signified that the fight was over. When Humery realised what had occurred he danced with rage and his seconds had much to do to keep him from rushing across the ring to engage in an unofficial combat with Berg, to whom the verdict had been given.

### GREAT OVATION FOR HUMERY

After a while Humery was reluctantly brought to reason and the acceptance of authority, which on this occasion seemed to me to have made a faux pas. He shook hands with Berg and tears were suspiciously near.

The spectators, certain that justice had nodded for once and that a glorious fighting finish had been prevented, gave Humery an ovation that lasted nearly two minutes. He deserved it.

I was surprised that Berg was able to maintain the tremendous pace of this Homeric struggle.

How it would all have ended I cannot say, but Humery appeared to be leading when the unhappy intervention came with only two rounds to go.

It was unfortunate, too, from the patrons point of view, that two more fights were cut short of the appointed time.

When George Daly, of London,

met Norman Snow, of Northampton, the fight was proceeding in a clever and exhilarating fashion.

But Snow had received a cut on the mouth, and at the end of the sixth round the referee stopped the bout with no more reason to my way of thinking than that given for the stoppage of the other contest.

I think Daly was winning on points. Yet a third bout was also stopped, and this time for a foul that was not apparent to the majority of those at the ring-side.

Altogether, a very unsatisfactory night's boxing that had promised as well.

### REFEREE'S STATEMENT

Mr. Deyong, the referee, stated afterwards "The cut over Humery's eye was a very nasty one. It is when boxers go on fighting with such an injury that they become blind. I was absolutely justified in stopping the fight."

Mr. Deyong added that, in his opinion, Berg had a lead on points. Humery, in broken English, said to a reporter: "No, sir, they should not have stopped the fight. I am just as fit now as when I started."

## AT LAST!

### AYR BEATEN BY KING'S PARK

### BURNLEY WINS CUP REPLAY

London, Feb. 19.

After six hours and 40 minutes of football, spread over four games, the King's Park-Ayr Scottish Cup tie has finally been settled.

In the third replay of this second round match to-day, King's Park defeated Ayr by the odd goal in three, and thus earn the right to play the Airdrieonians on the latter's ground on Saturday.

Burnley easily polished off Notts Forest in the fifth round replay for the English Cup, winning by three clear goals. On Saturday last at Nottingham, the teams drew one-all.

There are still three more fifth round ties to be decided, but the

## TO BEAT THE BOOK

(By "Robin")

### HOME:-

Everton  
Stoke  
Tottenham  
Bolton  
Brentford  
Norwich  
Brighton  
Charlton  
Reading  
Chester  
Halifax  
N. Brighton.

### AWAY:-

Sheffield  
West Ham  
Tranmere

### DRAW:-

Arsenal  
Aldershot  
Gateshead

## OUR FORECAST

### LEAGUE & CUP

The following is the special Telegraph forecast for Saturday's English League and Scottish Cup football matches.

### FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham v Liverpool  
Everton v Aston V.  
Grimsby v Derby  
Huddersfield v Chelsea  
Manchester City v Arsenal  
Manchester U. v Blackburn  
Middlesbrough v Leicester  
Preston v Leeds  
Sheff. Wed. v Southampton  
Stoke v Sunderland  
Tottenham v Wolves  
West Bromwich v Nott. F.  
Wolves v Nott. F.

### SECOND DIVISION.

Bolton v Port. Vale  
Bradford v Hull  
Brentford v Bradford C.  
Burnley v Swansea  
Fulham v Nott. F.  
Gillingham v West Ham  
Hull v Blackpool  
Luton v Sheff. U.  
Nott. C. v Manchester  
Oldham v Nott. F.  
Plymouth v Bury  
Southampton v Barnsley

### THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Brighton v Watford  
Bristol R. v Cardiff  
Bristol S. v Torquay  
Charlton v Queen's Park  
Gillingham v Millwall  
Luton v Crystal P.  
Nott. F. v Gillingham  
Reading v Aldershot  
Southend v Newport  
Sunderland v Swindon

### THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Accrington v Gateshead  
Barrow v Carlisle  
Chester v Doncaster  
Darlington v Lincoln  
Halifax v Stockport  
Hull v Southport  
Mansfield v Rochdale  
N. B. Brighton v Hartlepool  
Rotherham v Wrexham  
Sheff. U. v Tranmere  
Walsall v Crewe  
York v Crewe

### SCOTTISH CUP

Third Round.  
Rangers v St. Mirren  
Aberdeen v Hibernians  
Buckie Thistle v St. Johnstone  
Aberdeen v King's Park  
Brechin v Hamilton  
Hearts v Dundee

revised draw for the quarter-finals which included to-day's result is given below.

Everton v Tottenham or Bolton  
West Ham v Bristol C. or Preston  
Wednesday v Arsenal  
Burnley v Blackburn or Birmingham

## OUR "FORM" GUIDE

### How Your Team Has Been Faring In League

The following table reveals how each team in the four divisions of the English league have fared to date, the results including their last five more matches up to yesterday.

The first figure in each case, of course, is that of the team concerned.

### FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham	2-2	0-0	0-0	1-3	3-0
Derby C.	2-2	1-1	1-1	3-1	2-2
Leeds	3-3	1-1	0-3	2-4	1-3
Aston Villa	1-1	5-0	1-0	0-0	3-2
Chelsea	0-1	2-3	3-1	0-0	1-3
Middlesbrough	8-0	5-3	2-0	2-6	0-0
Leicester	1-3	1-0	0-5	3-6	0-2
Liverpool	0-2	0-2	2-1	4-2	1-1
Portsmouth	1-1	1-0	1-2	0-2	0-3
Preston	2-2	4-3	2-1	0-0	0-0
Wednesday	1-0	3-5	2-2	1-4	3-0
Sunderland	0-0	2-2	1-3	2-0	0-0
Tottenham	0-0	2-6	1-3	0-1	2-2
West-Bromwich	0-3	0-3	0-3	2-0	1-1
Wolves	6-2	1-2	0-3	2-5	2-3
Blackburn	1-5	3-0	2-2	3-1	1-3
Arsenal	2-0	3-0	3-0	4-1	0-3
Grimsby	0-1	1-3	3-0	3-1	2-3
Stoke	0-0	1-1	2-0	0-2	5-1
Huddersfield	2-2	2-2	1-1	3-1	2-2
Everton	2-2	2-2	3-1	1-1	6-2
Manchester C.	0-1	0-0	0-2	6-3	6-2

### SECOND DIVISION.

Bradford	6-3	1-3	1-2	0-0	4-2
Brentford	3-0	0-2	2-1	1-4	2-1
Burnley	4-0	1-1	0-2	0-0	2-2
Bury	2-1	6-1	4-1	2-1	2-4
Fulham	1-1	3-0	1-1	1-2	2-1
Manchester U.	3-0	3-3	2-0	2-3	0-1
Nott. F.	0-2	2-0	0-1	0-5	2-3
Oldham	0-2	1-2	1-2	1-4	0-2
Port Vale	4-0	1-2	2-1	2-1	2-0
Barnsley	0-0	0-4	0-2	0-6	4-1
Norwich	3-1	3-0	3-2	2-0	0-1
Southampton	2-0	1-2	1-3	1-1	1-6
Blackpool	1-0	1-2	1-1	0-0	4-1
Plymouth	2-2	1-1	0-3	0-1	1-4
Bradford C.	1-3	1-1	1-1	1-1	2-0
Newcastle	1-1	3-1	2-0	1-1	1-3
Sheff. U.	1-1	2-1	1-1	1-1	1-1
Nott. C.	2-1	1-5	3-1	3-2	0-2
Hull	2-2	1-0	5-0	1-2	1-2
West Ham	2-0	0-3	2-1	1-0	1-0

### THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Aldershot	1-2	3-0	0-0	1-1	1-0
Brighton	0-3	5-1	0-3	2-2	0-1
Bristol C.	1-4	2-1	0-3	4-3	1-1
Cardiff	2-2	0-1	1-2	1-1	1-3
Clapton	0-5	2-1	1-2	3-2	3-3
Coveley	0-2	0-0	0-2	1-3	3-1
Exeter	3-0	0-6	2-0	3-0	2-0
Gillingham	1-2	3-1	1-3	5-0	0-2
Luton	2-4	2-2	0-3	3-1	1-0
Swindon	1-2	0-3	2-1	2-3	0-1
Crystal P.	1-4	1-3	0-5	3-3	0-5
Rotherham	7-1	2-1	0-2	5-3	0-2
Watford	2-0	1-1	3-1	3-2	1-1
Charlton	4-2	3-0	2-0	3-1	2-1
Reading	1-1	2-1	3-1	1-4	3-2
Northampton	2-1	1-3	0-0	0-1	1-1
Newport	1-4	1-1	3-0	2-3	2-0
Torquay	1-1	1-1	3-0	2-2	2-0
Southend	1-2	0-3	0-1	2-0	0-2
Queen's P. R.	2-2	1-5	3-0	0-2	2-0
Bournemouth	1-0	1-3	4-1	1-0	3-1
Millwall	0-0	2-1	2-4	1-3	1-3

### THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Accrington	2-3	0-0	1-5	2-4	3-0
Crewe	1-2	2-1	2-1	0-3	4-1
Darlington	1-3	0-0	0-2	3-0	1-4
Gateshead	0-5	2-1	1-2	3-2	3-3
Halifax	4-2	1-1	3-2	1-2	0-5
Lincoln	2-2	2-2	3-0	0-5	5-1
Rotherham	1-2	4-1	3-1	5-0	3-3
Stockport	4-0	3-2	0-4	2-3	3-3
Tranmere	2-2	0-1	1-1	2-1	3-3
Walsall	2-3	2-4	5-0	6-1	0-6
Wrexham	3-3	2-2	1-1	2-2	0-0
New Brighton	4-2	1-0	4-5	0-0	1-7
Doncaster	5-0	5-1	2-0	2-1	7-1
York	2-4	1-1	3-0	1-2	1-3
Sheff. U.	3-1	1-1	5-4	2-2	1-1
Manchester	1-2	4-2	0-0	3-2	2-2
Rochdale	0-5	1-1	1-3	0-0	6-2
Chesterfield	1-2	0-0	1-1	3-0	2-0
Southport	0-0	0-0	0-3	0-0	1-1
Carlisle	3-0	2-4	1-4	1-6	0-3
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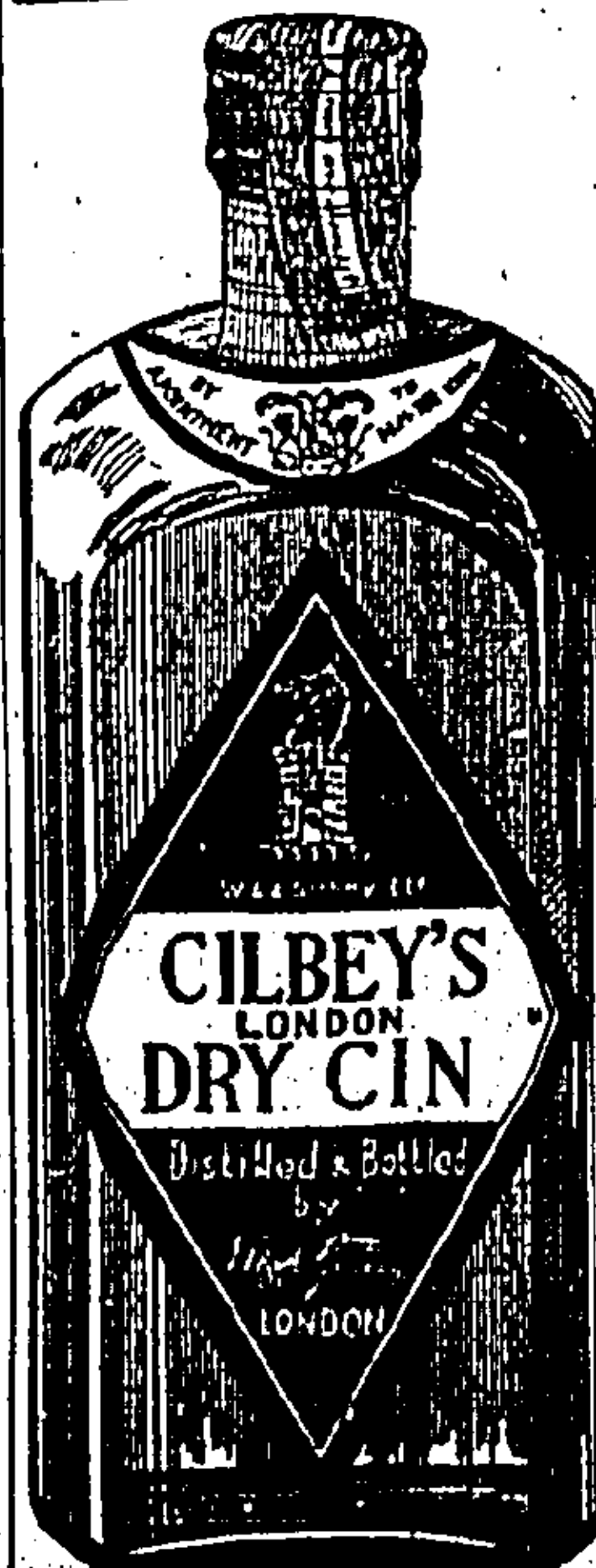
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## CHAPTER XLV

Detective Shannon came downstairs at midnight to find Peter Kendall waiting for him. Peter's hair was rumpled, his face showed strain and anxiety, but his eyes were eager. "I got the call, you left," he said.

"I'm sorry you made the trip. I could have told you over the telephone."

"The light died in Peter's eyes. 'I thought you had news for me. We have, Mr. Kendall. We know where your wife is. That is, we know the neighbourhood she is living in.'"

"Then why can't you find her?"

"We expect to. The difficulty is, that the area is a nest of apartment buildings."

"But every man you have on the job. Move heaven and earth—"

Detective Shannon told Peter what had happened. A girl had phoned for a cab in a hurry from a house in Ingleside. She had told the driver she lived on Roland street. He instead of going to the house had left the cab at a drug store.

"What about the home in Ingleside? What did you find out there?"

Peter's voice was hoarse with anxiety.

"We found that a man, his sister and two children live there. The neighbours state the entire family is spending the holidays out of town. The place was closed tight as wax. We're investigating the possibility that the driver went to another house. The houses in the section are similar. We'll make inquiries at this place as soon as the family returns. Meanwhile, we expect to find her."

"You're sure she is my wife?"

"The driver is positive she is the same girl he drove away from your apartment that morning. He identified the picture of her. It was just a coincidence, Mr. Kendall, that this driver was sent to answer her call to-night."

"We'll work as fast as we can. It may be only a few days before we find her."

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"How did he take that?"

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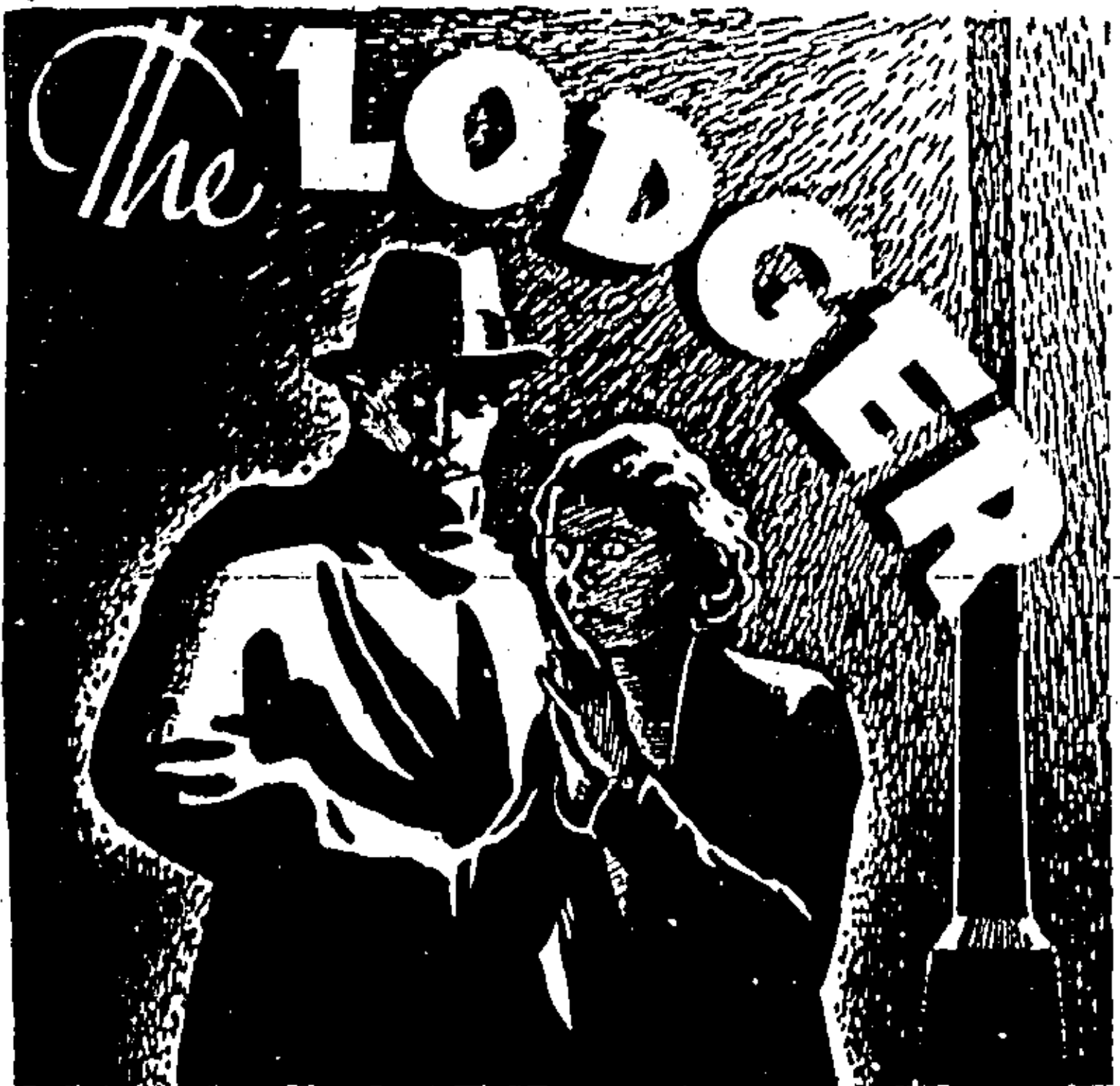
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SVEN HEDIN'S  
BIRTHDAY

Nanking, Feb. 20.  
On the occasion of the birthday of Dr. Sven Hedin, the noted Swedish explorer, who has been surveying and mapping the route of a proposed highway system in China's interior, the Nanking Government has decided to confer upon him the Order of Brilliant Jade.

It was for his services in Sinkiang, where he has been for the past several months, that the award is being made.—*Reuter*.

### HOME CELEBRATION

Stockholm, Feb. 19.  
The home of the explorer, Dr. Sven Hedin, was inundated with delegations and deluged with flowers, letters and telegrams to-day, the seventieth birthday of the man who has explored more in the little known parts of Asia than any other living person.  
Dr. Hedin is at present in Nanking.—*Reuter*.

## CHINA TRADE MISSION

LEAVING TO-DAY FOR  
PHILIPPINES

Shanghai, Feb. 20.  
The Philippine commercial investigation mission, organised by local Chinese merchants, which consists of twenty-six members, is leaving here for Manila via Hongkong, on board the President Jefferson this morning.

The mission's object is the cultivating trade relation between Philippines and China.—*Central News*.

## Virtues Vs. Barbarism

MARSHAL CHIANG'S  
PHILOSOPHY

ADVICE TO  
PEOPLE

Nanchang, Feb. 19.  
An interesting speech enunciating the true value of the Chinese traditional virtues embodied in the New Life Movement, promoted by him, was delivered by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, before a big gathering here this morning, in celebration of the first Anniversary of the Movement.

He said that the present occasion, in which we were now celebrating the first anniversary of the New Life Movement, was the result of six years of hard struggle staged by the Government troops with the support of the Kiangsi people, against the Communists. But the freedom of Kiangsi Province from Communist rule was only bought by a very heavy cost of life and property. At least over one million people, men and women, young and old, were either killed, murdered or outraged by the Reds during the period of their six years' domination. The crime could never be forgotten by the present and coming generations of the Kiangsi people.

Marshal Chiang went on to say that since the introduction of the New Life Movement a new foundation of national life for China had been laid, on which the nation was now capable of fighting successfully against the barbarous acts of the Reds. Hence, it was evident that the Chinese traditional virtues, such as propriety, justice, and honour, which were embodied in the New Life Movement, could not only resist successfully this barbarism, vandalism and the like, but were capable of breaking down such difficult opposition.

As was shown in the struggle against Communism in China, the Sun Yat-sen principles, or the *San Min-Chu-I*, characterised by the virtues of loyalty, filial piety, kindness, faith, justice and peacefulness, were far superior to the Communist theories of class struggle and the like, concluded Marshal Chiang.—*Central News*.

## ITALY BARGAIN HUNTING

SPECIAL DUTY  
ANNOUNCED

RESTRICTING  
IMPORTS

Rome, Feb. 19.

A list of 1,500 articles requiring special licences before they will be allowed to be imported into Italy, was issued to-day.

This is the result of a new decree intended partly to restrict Italy's purchases abroad and partly to provide a bargaining lever to obtain more favourable treatment for Italy's exports.

The "black list" includes coal, machinery, woollen clothing, skins, worked steel, iron, fish, manufacturing cotton, linen, hemp, tobacco, spirits, tea, biscuits and many other commodities. Many of these things are now imported from Great Britain.

The restrictions vary from ten to 35 per cent.

The new duties will come into force on March 31.—*Reuter*.

## BIG ESTATE

LATE MR. LAM WOO  
LEAVES \$818,000

Mr. Lam Woo, alias Lam Kau-chau, the well-known local building contractor, of No. 1 Tramway Path who died on December 27, 1933, has left estate sworn at \$818,700.

Double probate of the will has been granted to his son, Lam Chik-sun, of No. 117 Waterloo Road, Kowloon.

and the like, concluded Marshal Chiang.—*Central News*.

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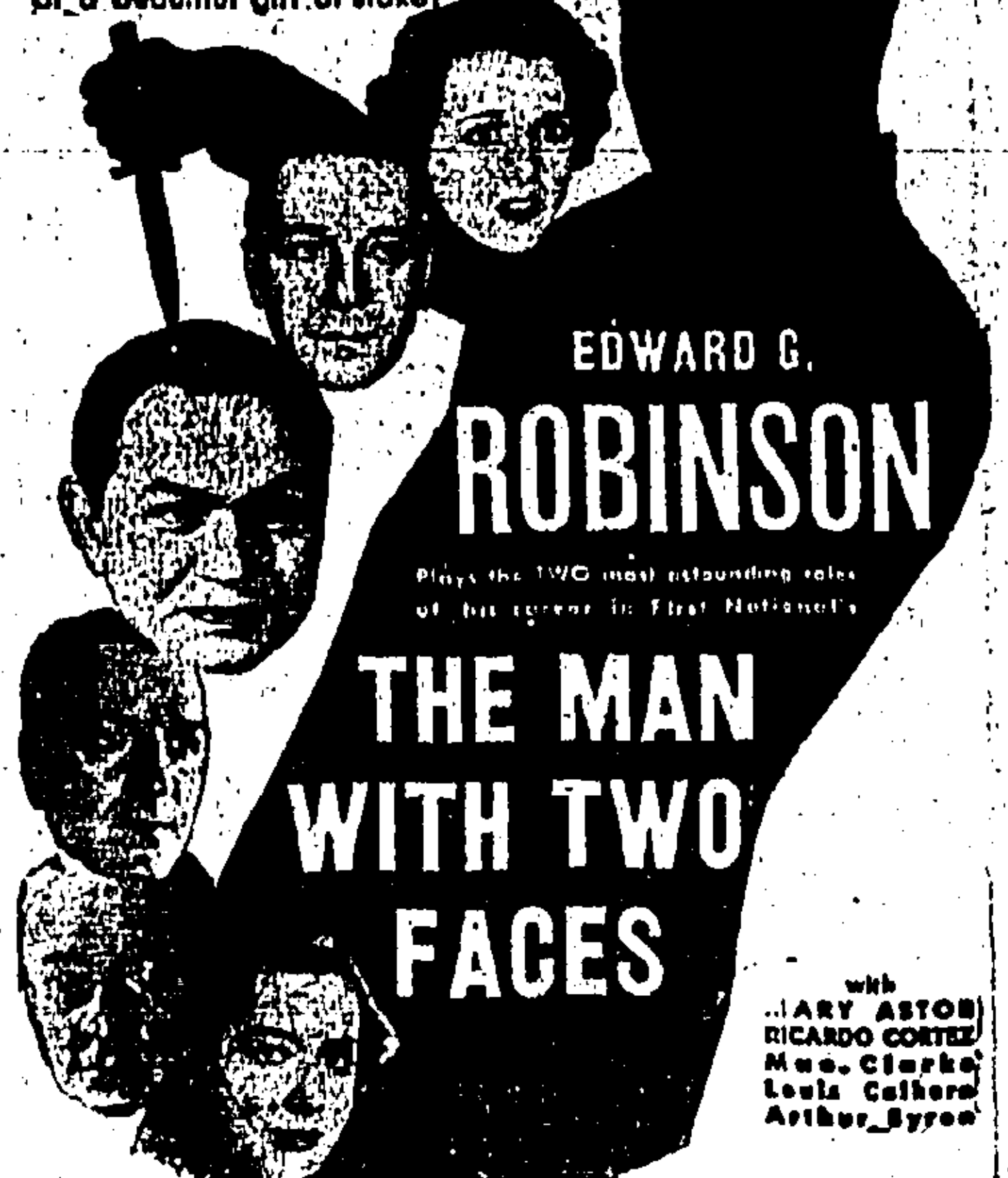
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LATE DR. M. H.  
CHAUN

LARGE ATTENDANCE  
AT FUNERAL

Relatives and friends of the late Dr. M. H. Chaun, well-known Hongkong dentist, were present in large numbers at the funeral, which was held to-day at the Chinese Christian Cemetery at Pokfulam. The bereaved widow and son (Dr. K. W. Chaun) and four daughters were the principal mourners.

A memorial service was held by the Rev. Cheung Man-chiu in the Chapel before interment.

Present were noticed the Rev. Cheung Tsuk-ling, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lo, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Kwan, Messrs. Ho Wing, W. A. Zimmern, Lum Tao-fong, M. P. Lo, Tse Ying-pak, Ngan Yau-sun, E. D. Bush, Un How-dan, T. F. Lo, T. Bolt, S. Sung, Wong Kwok-chun, Sin Tak-hing, Ma Ying-piu, Ma Wing-chun, T. Y. Fong, and Drs. K. S. Shin, L. S. Shin, and Kwan Sum-yin.

A large number of wreaths were sent.

### SESSIONS LIST

FIVE CASES ON  
CALENDAR

The following prisoners will appear upon trial at the February Criminal Sessions which open to-morrow before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice A. D. A. MacGregor, and the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsay:

Cheung Wai-chi, charged with

MAN STRIKES  
CONSTABLE

GETS A MONTH'S  
HARD LABOUR

A sequel to an alleged assault upon a Chinese constable while on duty, was the appearance of Lau Pul, aged 29, unemployed, before Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. The charge was altered to one of resisting the constable in his duty, and the defendant was sentenced to one month's hard labour.

Sergeant Hill appeared for the prosecution and stated that Chinese constable DT9, Ku Yuen-tung, arrested two women hawkers in Tai Nam Street, and had taken their licence books from them. On the way to the police station the defendant, who is a brother of one of the women, punched the complainant on the back and snatched the licence books from his hand. Complainant gave chase and blew a police whistle, and the defendant was caught by a district watchman. During the chase the defendant threw the licence books away, but they were picked up by the complainant.

wounding with intent, and with wounding.

Lai So, robbery with violence.

Sham Man-sheung, assault with intent to rob by two or more.

Chu Wai-shan, Li Fat, and Yeung Kau, custody or possession of coinage moulds.

Chan Kwong and Chan Wing, breaches of Deportation Orders.

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